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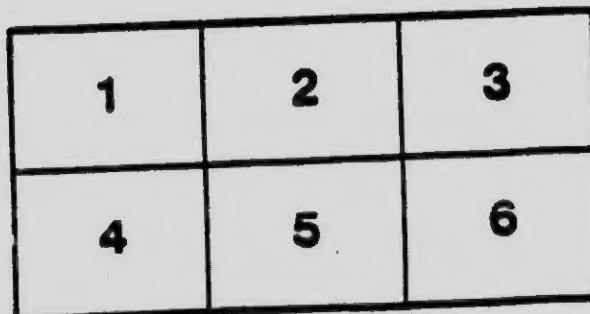
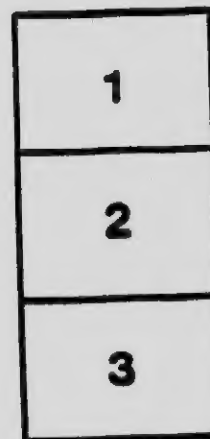
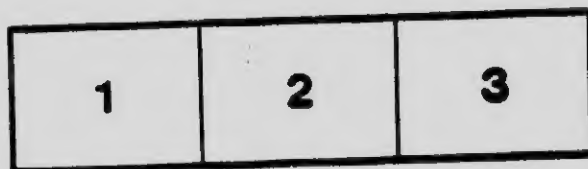
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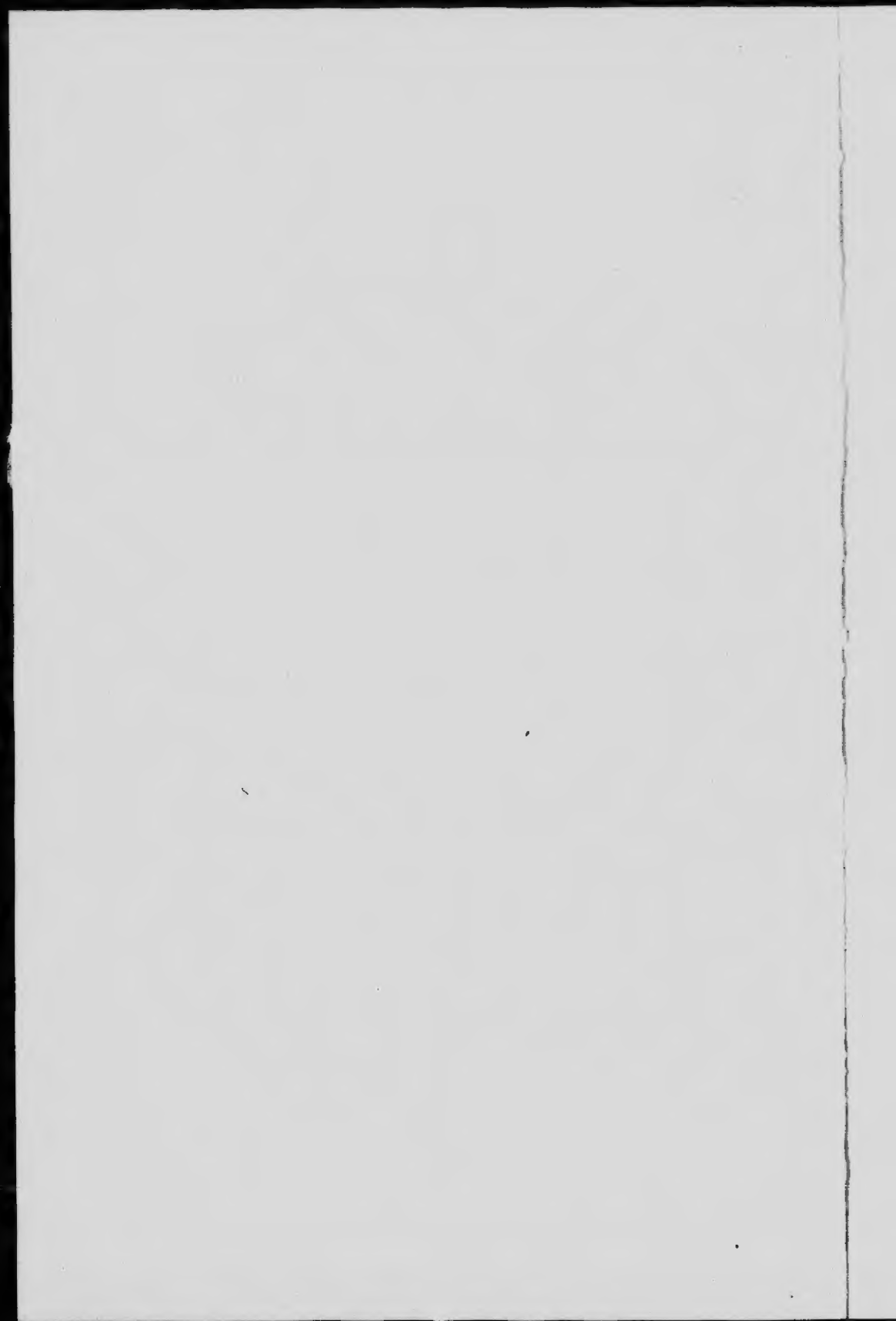
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THE UNIVERSAL SPELLING BOOK

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PREFACE

IN the preparation of this Spelling Book two aims have been kept in view:—

1st. To use only words that all children should be trained to spell.

2nd. To make the most complete collection of such words to be found in any spelling book.

The special features of this book are:—

1. PART I contains the words most commonly used in everyday life. These words should be learned first.

2. PART II aids the teacher in guiding the pupils in making a few rules for spelling.

3. PART III contains the list of troublesome words in which similar sounds are spelled in different ways. It is important to have these words in convenient form for frequent reviews.

4. PART IV contains a very complete list of words that are commonly misspelled. The lessons in Part IV were made from lists sent from all parts of the Dominion by practical teachers.

5. PART V was compiled from the special spelling lists used in the leading Commercial Colleges and Business Schools of Canada. The value of this full list of words will be recognized by all thoughtful teachers. It will be specially useful in continuation classes, in commercial classes, and in all other classes in which pupils are being trained for business life. Parts IV and V will make good tests for spelling matches.

6. PART VI contains a list of geographical words. The list includes the names of the leading cities and countries of the world, and especially of the cities and chief towns of Canada.

7. PART VII contains words of similar sound, but spelled differently and having different meanings.

8. PART VIII contains illustrations of the use of some of the more difficult words in Parts I, IV and V.

9. PART IX is devoted to etymology and contains valuable illustrative exercises in word building. More attention should be paid to this important department of school work.

10. PART X gives simple rules for punctuation.

11. PART XI contains a list of words commonly mispronounced. More attention should be paid to the correction of common errors in pronunciation. Pronunciation matches form a very interesting and profitable exercise.

12. PART XII contains a list of abbreviations.

13. PART XIII should be the most essential part of the book for a pupil when he leaves school. It is intended to contain the words he really needs to learn to spell; all the words he has missed during his school course.

14. Reviews have been omitted, because Part XIII forms the only perfectly logical basis for reviews. Every word missed by the pupils of the class in written work should be found in Part XIII, not only those missed in the spelling lessons, but in composition. The most important words for each child to learn to spell are the words of his own vocabulary. The teacher should have a class list compiled, including the words missed by the whole class in their written work. This list should form the basis of frequent reviews. Some words very often spelled incorrectly are used more than once in the lessons.

15. In many spelling books much space is taken up with short sentences, including words which have been given in lists immediately preceding the sentences. Such lists should have no place in a spelling book for the following reasons:—

(a) They waste space.

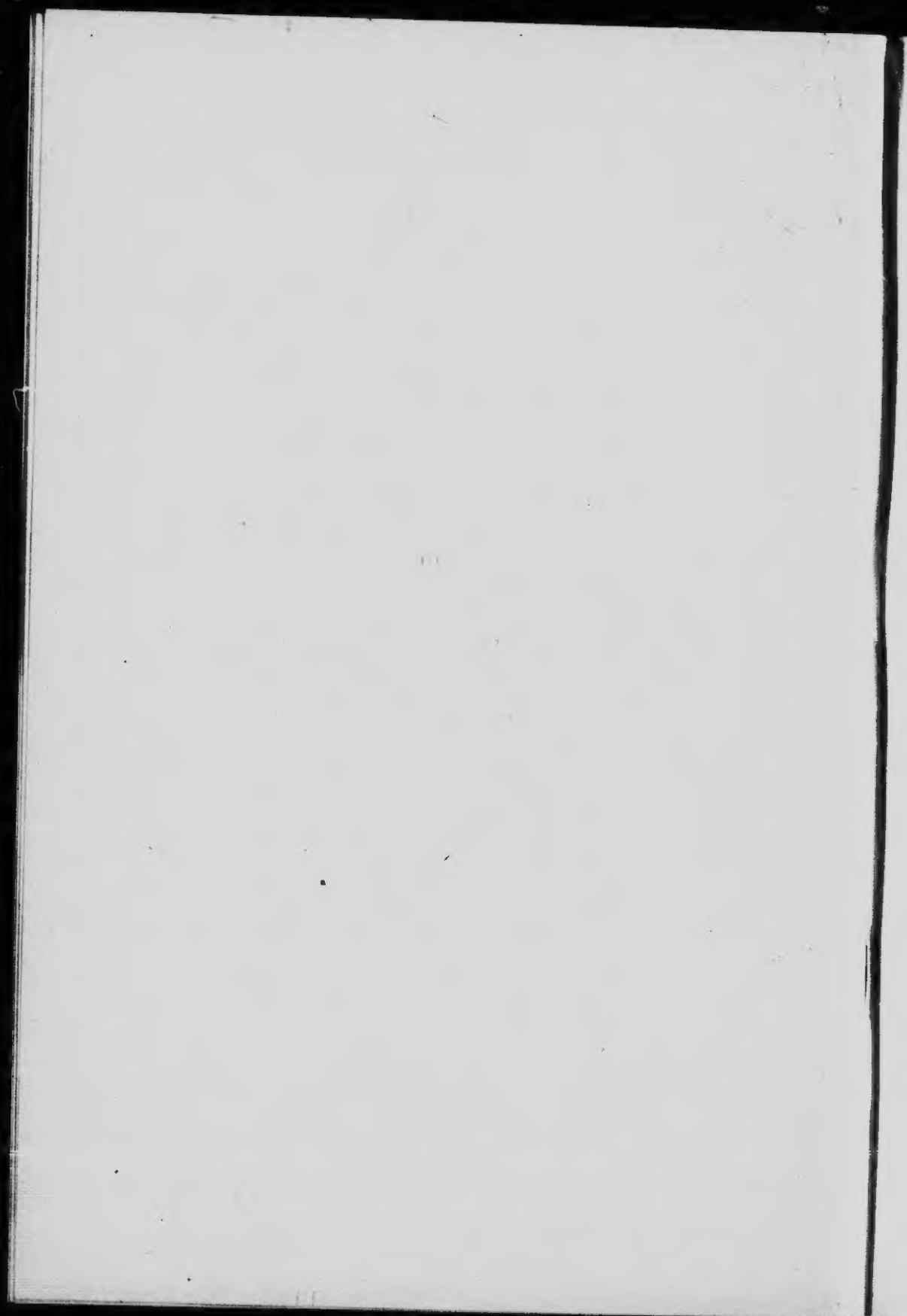
(b) If they should be in a spelling book at all they should not come immediately after the lists of words included in them.

(c) They violate one of the simplest pedagogical principles. Each pupil should make his own sentences. The meanings of the words should be clearly explained when the spelling lessons are assigned ; and when the words are given out to be spelled, the pupils should write short sentences, each sentence including one of the words in the lesson, and each pupil making his own sentences.

A spelling book should be a language book too. It should include not only the words the pupil now understands and uses, but those he should use when he is a man. Each new lesson should add to his vocabulary, and he should prove his ability to use new words by using them in sentences composed by himself. This is especially true in spelling words pronounced in the same way but spelled in different ways. These words have been distributed, and will be found chiefly in Part I. They are also collected in Part VII.

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PART I

NOTE 1.—Explain the meanings of new words when assigning each lesson.

NOTE 2.—Pupils should write short simple sentences including new words as they are given out by the teacher.

THE lessons in Part I contain words in common use. They are the words that must be written most frequently in everyday life. They form the foundation of a child's knowledge of spelling.

The words in each lesson should be made the basis of a language lesson before they are prepared as a spelling lesson. The meanings of the words should be known by the children before they are spelled.

It is a good plan to have the pupils write short sentences containing the words. Each pupil should make his own sentences. This should always be done in the cases in which words pronounced alike have different meanings. These words are inserted in the lessons of Part I, so that they may be learned gradually, instead of placing them all together in a special section of the spelling book.

Some spelling books have short sentences for dictation. However, the correct method is to dictate the words and have the pupils use them in sentences of their own composition. This method proves whether the words are understood or not.

Words are repeated occasionally.

■

1.

house
door
porch
floor
vase

chair
grate
screen
frame
table

lounge
sofa
spoon
bowl
knife

2.

tray
plate
stove
range
tongs

brush
broom
pail
soap
jug

axe
sieve
chest
flask
fruit

3.

herbs
trunk
lamp
quilt
sheets

saw
spike
trough
spout
sleigh

sledge
wedge
chain
straw
grain

4.

scythe
aunt
niece
papa
uncle

sister
parent
father
mother
brother

girl
woman
friend
child
nurse

5.

youth
dream
much
urge
sure

each
busy
own
touch
many

almost
sweet
join
said
while

6.

bound
which
witch
whose
case

clean
only
catch
reach
twice

again
able
why
young
ounce

7.

value
inch
money
barrel
change

quart
dollar
gallon
cheap
bushel

owe
bargain
brought
wharf
fail

8.

eye
queer
taste
please
should

alone
extra
sorry
know
every

tight
swing
meal
little
rough

D.

year
once
season
could
month

these
water
loaf
dinner
napkin

supper
leek
potato
saucer
coffee

10.

egg
sauce
sugar
stew
cream

soup
pie
jelly
cheese
china

toast
tea
mutton
letter
across

11.

veal
pork
loin
chop
bird

meat
meet
lamb
steak
flesh

vase
chimney
butter
fowl
foul

12.

rice
corn
peas
fruit
wheat

beans
peach
squash
rye
oats

cress
prunes
grapes
pear
pair

13.

meal
flour
cushion
knob
broth
milk

seed
barley
dough
scarf
skirt
cioak

frock
shawl
blouse
coat
gown
shirt

14.

gloves
tights
sleeves
shoes
thread
gauze

lace
plaid
print
plush
baize
jean

yarn
braid
crape
cloth
veil
vale

15.

tweed
chintz
serge
lawn
fringe
silk

chin
head
brow
tooth
brain
scalp

beard
skull
mouth
voice
hair
hare

16.

tongue
throat
skin
stomach
breast
groin

elbow
flank
nerve
lungs
heart
hart

glory
blood
calf
limb
pore
pour

17.

palm
knee
joint
pulse
vein
vane

thigh
wrist
thumb
thirst
waist
waste

gorge
quench
whip
purse
sole
soul

18.

comb
brush
brooch
coach
chaise
snow

ice
frost
chart
clock
hail
hale

street
chalk
slate
parse
road
rode

19.

solve
think
learn
right
write
rite

frank
brave
proud
lazy
sulky
stingy

cruel
noble
polite
loving
buy
by

20.

shy
manly
busy
jolly
weak
week

sober
inch
pence
gill
ton
tun

quart
grain
straight
cent
sent
scent

21.

dry
troy
sign
brace
hymn
him

verse
speech
rhubarb
psalm
choir
quire

quill
colt
hound
wolf
bear
bare

22.

lynx
lion
moose
wren
sell
cell

stork
crow
hawk
thrush
wait
weight

wasp
gnat
moth
midge
fair
fare

23.

moist
warm
skates
quoits
bough
bow

chess
bench
square
punch
awl
all

wrench
gable
lathe
forge
plane
plain

24.

salt
shoes
glue
cloth
vise
vice

yarn
starch
tire
wheel
rein
rain

screw
strap
girth
trace
deer
dear

15.

face
stroll
cruise
jaunt
roam
Rome

trudge
train
tour
freight
mail
male

elm
larch
birch
spruce
beech
beach

26.

touch
taste
walk
talk
hear
here

love
pray
yawn
think
work
draw

laugh
sweep
dame
sew
sow
so

27.

cough
sneeze
breathe
waltz
groan
grown

monk
priest
guide
quack
moan
mown

nurse
clerk
judge
chief
queen
prince

28.

ditch
trench
moat
sluice
blue
blew

brown
house
ridge
hedge
creek
creak

fence
soil
earth
peas
practise
practice

chaff
straw
sheaf
yew
ewe
you

maple
herbs
fleece
quince
thyme
time

croup
gout
fever
ague
steel
steal

fife
flute
violin
banjo
pain
pane

29.
whey
fruit
peach
maize
beet
beat

30.
news
births
deaths
ream
tales
tails

31.
priest
Christ
judge
coast
son
sain

32.
ocean
canal
rhythm
bugle
sea
see

wool
swine
steer
wheat
herd
heard

quills
sponge
zinc
iron
lead
led

frith
key
scale
voice
quarts
quartz

aim
level
toil
obey
bald
bawled

33.

earl
 czar
 horde
 noun
 cord
 chord

phrase
 force
 dense
 tough
 aunt
 ant

touch
 lazy
 scour
 easy
 bass
 base

34.

knock
 fight
 choir
 perch
 knight
 night

taught
 eager
 enough
 caught
 throne
 thrown

whom
 tired
 fuel
 teach
 clause
 claws

35.

any
 least
 such
 neight
 weigh
 way

breadth
 reap
 notice
 choice
 heal
 heel

search
 edge
 squall
 cloud
 die
 dye

36.

lawn
 path
 stream
 road
 bard
 barred

ditch
 shoal
 coast
 brain
 wood
 would

head
 body
 limb
 waist
 bell
 belle

37.

ankle
thigh
throat
tongue
beer
hier

mouth
thumb
knee
joint
raise
rays

nerve
knuckle
ripple
stomach
not
knot

38.

beard
skull
muscle
truly
mist
missed

sinew
leave
bait
evil
bruise
brews

kneel
heavy
been
hurry
toe
tow

39.

where
honest
auger
afraid
feet
feat

hungry
smooth
model
early
bred
bread

shriek
noise
sneeze
squeal
berry
bury

40.

nimble
quick
bright
either
knows
nose

fasten
scale
sense
float
tide
tied

beam
bony
fault
group
sail
sale

41.

ready
mower
chisel
wedge
seam
seem

staple
ginlet
screw
hinge
team
teem

pulley
knob
rivet
gouge
piece
peace

42.

wire
shov
hoe
sickle
chews
choose

scissors
pincers
tweezers
bowl
eight
ate

faucet
ladle
tureen
knife
wear
ware

43.

sieve
scythe
until
frolic
ball
bawl

shady
pledge
stain
died
canon
cannon

drown
trouble
union
light
fellow
felloe

44.

busy
busily
half
fought
be
bee

cruel
grief
weave
fierce
hall
haul

thought
enemy
coming
pleasant
sum
some

45.

image
pierce
ably
faith
pail
pale

limit
youth
ruin
sweep
hire
higher

magic
growth
tread
fright
him
hymn

46.

frown
voice
defeat
freeze
ode
owed

guard
moist
dumb
deaf
current
currant

mean
daily
brief
lodge
grate
great

47.

death
loose
lose
feather
made
maid

gotten
earn
floor
eaves
forth
fourth

furnace
shingle
oven
bureau
stake
steak

48.

lounge
cushion
couch
quilt
done
dun

mirror
window
panel
hearth
owe
oh

towel
vase
mattress
pillow
seen
scene

49.

parish
sponge
badge
purse
stair
stare

valise
rather
speedy
triple
cellar
seller

double
twelve
joke
wealth
tax
tacks

50.

though
tidy
scanty
occur
peal
peel

affair
nothing
stretch
claim
dost
dust

serve
against
warmth
habit
gait
gate

51.

welcome
meant
circle
roughly
pause
paws

handle
wholly
chance
mildew
know
no

freight
saddle
mercy
vain
vein
vane

52.

view
hubble
setting
ache
fore
four

notion
quarrel
beware
contain
fourth
forth

sigh
extinct
eleven
rosy
here
hear

53.

errand
guess
pebble
rinse
flue
flew

dryly
source
built
office
hour
our

making
sought
naughty
saucy
meat
meet

54.

stopper
yeast
flaky
squeeze
coarse
course

beneath
mellow
debt
shove
birth
berth

gallop
league
frail
ninth
gilt
guilt

55.

merrily
puzzle
luckily
buckle
bad
bade

rouse
juice
raid
guide
grease
Greece

rejoice
wrong
nibble
January
board
bored

56.

belief
scratch
saleable
perhaps
threw
through

engine
brittle
rustle
coax
ring
wring

dread
dizzy
reel
squirm
cause
caws

February
because
scorch
o'er
oar
ore

March
repair
circuit
grieve
ail
ale

April
doubly
alms
hoist
lane
lain

May
excel
writing
thither
holy
wholly

57.
fried
freckle
welfare
gleam
need
knead

58.
sorrowful
address
receive
believe
rap
wrap

59.
memory
shrewd
mouthful
during
flew
flue

60.
daring
usage
aware
equal
loan
lone

tickle
reason
zeal
question
aloud
allowed

destroy
destiny
tuning
yesterday
faint
feint

measure
graze
struggle
drier
break
brake

label
slain
fleece
bleak
due
dew

June
message
glance
annoy
strait
strait

61.
heavily
listen
right
wright
lax
lacks

deserve
hungrily
fourteen
yield
wrote
rote

July
beautiful
refer
advice
sore
soar

62.
advise
haughty
couple
oblige
bridal
bridle

total
mourn
grain
air
heir
e'er

August
nation
firing
lazily
lock
loch

63.
movable
steadily
mention
misery
alter
altar

earnest
wretch
method
separate
rye
wry

September
mortar
twelfth
wrinkle
seize
seas

64.
annual
plague
wreath
deceit
climb
cli

pounce
type
nobody
speckled
metal
mettle

65.

October	famous	studied
package	paring	foamy
bundle	rescue	agile
parcel	bran	smoking
lurch	bristle	fiery
benefit	awe	ivory
aught	gored	lesson
ought	gourd	lessen

66.

November	relief	burial
flaming	lightning	weapon
retain	purchase	sword
delicate	glimpse	sheath
surface	fashion	shoddy
squad	refuge	senseless
yew	fir	bough
you	fur	bow

67.

December	missile	parade
rifle	bugle	ensign
musket	soldier	courage
carbine	warrior	severe
cartridge	muzzle	certain
coupon	sincere	delight
capitol	ceiling	mite
capital	sealing	might

68.

Monday
readily
patient
nonsense
pouch
expel
crews
cruise

diary
bluish
besiege
fatally
pacify
staple
bail
bale

design
sincere
juicy
series
totally
endure
fawn
faun

69.

Tuesday
wrench
hostile
trough
wrought
heavy
bore
boar

convey
dairy
drowsy
describe
special
sheaves
doe
dough

column
valuable
slaughter
divide
attach
threshing
guest
guessed

70.

Wednesday
usually
strength
knack
moreover
endow
mantel
mantle

noisy
sparkle
visitor
people
trifling
pare
pear
pair

avail
treasure
facing
odious
trifle
delight
plum
plumb

71.

Thursday
vacation
educate
science
examination
missile
pier
peer

history
crayon
chalk
satchel
erase
muscle
flower
flour

review
city
village
avenue
ally
morsel
lie
lye

72.

Friday
mansion
palace
cottage
dwelling
marriage
boy
buoy

tenement
castle
stable
library
cupboard
malice
praise
prays

portico
piazza
veranda
balcony
gallery
middle
meddle
medal

73.

Saturday
nursery
cornice
cupola
piano
meagre
more
mower

hickory
chestnut
hazel
foliage
laurel
maintain
mode
mowed

marine
yacht
launch
canoe
captain
mortgage
none
nun

74.

anchor
sailor
beacon
navy
saucily
hurried
one
won

guard
endear
release
aching
ancient
model
prize
pries

antique
salve
amusing
exhibit
resign
medicine
preys
prays

75.

equip
furious
pony
heifer
spaniel
moisten
please
pleas

retriever
elephant
leopard
lynx
partridge
mighty
profit
prophet

canary
ostrich
oriole
pigeon
poultry
money
rough
ruff

76.

apparel
gingham
linen
muslin
hose
hoses
neuter
nonsense

merino
alpaca
cambric
apron
gaiters
sleeve
nickel
nigh

ribbon
edging
tassel
serge
plaid
mirth
naught
nought

77.

parasol
umbrella
breakfast
luncheon
beefsteak
o'clock
ostrich
ominous

sausage
porridge
omelet (2)
gruel
waffles
ordeal
oriole
orphan

honey
salmon
pursuit
tomb
stencil
opera
obscene
oyster

78.

doubtful
prepare
commence
prevail
weather
wether
once
omit

conquer
forcible
Christmas
answer
cautious
compel
ordain
ocean

cleanse
worthily
apiece
adjoin
journey
officer
oblique
penny

79.

voyage
tourist
railroad
junction
whistle
palace
puzzle
plague

station
conductor
cable
trestle
onion
precede
proceed
perceive

lettuce
cabbage
radish
celery
lilac
believe
grieve
deceive

80.

banana
daisy
lavender
dandelion
ivy
pursuit
slight
sleight

thistle
herbage
autumn
field
expense
precise
sailer
sailor

friar
imagine
gaudy
squalid
icy
privilege
style
stile

81.

delightful
caution
loiter
senior
junior
plaid
throws
throes

colony
exhaust
familiar
scenery
piteous
placid
there
their

echo
fragile
grammar
tense
voice
passion
told
tolled

82.

adjective
masculine
feminine
neuter
modify
porpoise
vial
viol

multiplier
article
preface
arithmetic
subtraction
piety
grater
greater

phrase
quotient
addition
division
cutlet
purify
wears
wares

82.

desk
settee
mirror
cushion
mat
poultice
weather
wether

tureen
towel
oven
pickles
victuals
pronounce
yoke
yolk

mattress
lever
cradle
sickle
saddle
parasol
wave
waive

84.

granary
nephew
daughter
woman
women
paradise
bait
bate

family
butler
lady
maiden
visitor
presence
calendar
calender

relative
bachelor
governess
allspice
asparagus
pretext
counsel
council

85.

gravy
jelly
cocoa
coffee
sandwich
poem
core
corps

gruel
vinegar
collar
necktie
bodice
pistol
session
cession

apron
mantle
corset
surplice
wrapper
portrait
cousin
cozen

86.

waistcoat
gaiters
leggings
gauntlets
trousers
patient
coward
cowered

moccasins
beaver
gimp
gingham
piteous
fain
fane
feign

pupil
temple
whiskers
breast
bosom
psalm
guest
guessed

87.

tendon
sinew
muscle
stomach
artery
porous
gamble
gambol

ankle
eager
healthy
ravenous
valise
persuade
indite
indict

satchel
buckle
parasol
carriage
chariot
pleasant
mean
mien

88.

omnibus
model
college
medical
classical
police
main
Maine

alley
avenue
tunnel
pencil
crayon
prairie
martial
marshal

monitor
recite
reckon
examine
analyze
poison
nice
gneiss

89.

honest	deceitful	uncivil
joyous	cowardly	gentle
studious	quarrel	clumsy
obedient	noisy	haughty
vicious	patient	anxious
peasant	pressure	process
plate	pallet	peak
plait	palette	pique

90.

acre	foreign	comma
second	liquid	hyphen
eighth	digit	ellipsis
guinea	cipher	period
dollar	colon	poetry
pitcher	phrase	pewter
principal	rays	pepper
principle	raze	sucker

91.

stanza	review	mucilage
couplet	journal	envelope
notice	oration	folio
placard	knife	spaniel
essay	eraser	pretty
peculiar	priests	to
symbols	travel	too
cymbals	travail	two

92.

terrier
weasel
raccoon
leopard
hyena
potatoes
marten
martin

cuckoo
eagle
oriole
swallow
lizard
quiet
draft
draught

beetle
tortoise
mosquito
misty
genial
quoits
miner
minor

93.

billiards
croquet
capsule
bevel
auger
quarrel
barren
baron

pliers
compass
whetstone
candles
feathers
queen
gild
guild

varnish
buckle
pivot
rivet
weight
quotient
flea
flee

94.

jewel
pendulum
balance
journey
voyage
razor
dying
dyeing

conductor
parcel
newspaper
pamphlet
magazine
receipt
kill
kiln

cruising
telegraph
bundle
cedar
rogue
idol
idle
idyl

95.

hazel
maple
chestnut
willow
hickory
realm
pride
pried

scribble
deacon
pastor
sexton
gymnast
rebel
leaf
lief

senator
citizen
officer
laborer
tailor
russet
ascent
assent

96.

joiner
saddler
mason
milliner
recruit
sight
site
cite

plumber
hostler
barber
butcher
review
cashier
key
quay

reporter
janitor
gardener
author
ridge
lawyer
fate
fete

97.

doctor
surgeon
editor
sculptor
engraver
rejoice
slay
sleigh

musician
engineer
surveyor
physician
bailiff
recollect
mean
mien

justice
constable
auditor
sheriff
mayor
ripple
ode
owed

88.

assessor
policeman
inspector
princess
monarch
rogue
seed
cede

premier
general
canal
sewer
culvert
reckon
ark
arc

crimson
orange
indigo
scarlet
purple
flake
isle
aisle

99.

salmon
acres
fertile
sterile
mower
sieve
deign
Dane

orchard
meadow
barley
clover
stubble
sue
Britain
Britain

apples
garlic
turnips
spinach
tomato
skeleton
sold
soled

100.

sausage
poultry
turkeys
manure
lettuce
rescind
recede
religion

timothy
apricot
cucumber
cherries
pamphlet
rescue
rascal
rough

columns
eyelets
mucilage
carrion
foreign
refer
regatta
receive

101.

nickel
cobalt
agate
granite
mercury
monarch
machinist
heifer

catarrh
measles
headache
nausea
cholera
commerce
spear
sneer

English
Irish
Scotch
Welsh
Canadian
nation
severe
frontier

102.

crater
valley
plateau
isthmus
prairie
governor
defeat
conceit

mountain
oasis
volcano
continent
peninsula
royalty
concrete
discreet

island
ocean
channel
tenor
soprano
sciatica
receipt
deceit

103.

bugle
cornet
custard
guitar
banjo
violin
decease
fleece

brilliant
opal
agate
ruby
diamond
onyx
geese
valise

relic
epoch
tyrant
ancient
sacred
people
caprice
niece

104.

patriot
scoria
adjunct
sentence
element
dense
skein
senior

ductile
brittle
rarity
rarefy
gravity
motion
separate
scuttle

revolve
condense
cohere
friction
repel
ascend
swindle
shovel

105.

music
botany
hygiene
language
writing
skewer
specimen
syllable

campaign
deign
cause
squaws
gnaws
gauze
adjective
preposition

called
scald
mauled
sprawled
crawled
drawled
stirrup
stipple

106.

fraud
broad
sawed
gnawed
betray
obey
achieve
receive

weigh
survey
wreak
shriek
pique
creek
thief
siege

unique
antique
convene
routine
serene
obscene
neither
conceit

107.

throne
known
moan
flown
drone
loan
clue
few

neuter
adieu
juicy
nuisance
review
lieu
legacy
tipsy

breezy
piteous
envious
duteous
serious
hideous
curious
studious

108.

liable
blamable
legible
possible
taxable
edible
capable
sensible

suitable
flexible
curable
sulphide
stupefy
verify
deify
liquefy

ladle
lancet
veranda
library
piazza
balcony
chintz
piano

109.

basin
oven
pickles
victuals
mattress
sickle
saddle
granary

nephew
sister
uncle
valet
bachelor
governess
honey
oyster

sirloin
sausage
sardine
salmon
celery
lettuce
onion
marrow

110.

spinach
tomato
asparagus
biscuit
porridge
gravy
bodice
apron

surplice
trousers
wrapper
gaiters
gauntlets
moccasins
cambric
alpaca

calico
ginger
guilty
mussel
sinew
stomach
ankle
knuckle

111.

eager
ravenous
voracious
gluttonous
valise
buckle
parasol
umbrella

handkerchief
chariot
phaeton
avenue
academy
satchel
monitor
apparatus

dictionary
analyze
honesty
studious
generous
courageous
obedient
industrious

112.

impolite
patient
haughty
foreign
apothecary
minuend
addition
percentage

vicious
uncivil
anxious
liquid
decimal
subtrahend
subtraction
denominator

cowardly
ingenious
frivolous
avoirdupois
quantity
divisor
insurance
numerator

113.

cipher
hyphen
asterisk
placard
pencil
mucilage
leopard
elephant

quotient
period
parenthesis
review
diary
envelope
hyena
squirrel

ratio
ellipsis
couplet
oration
eraser
monkey
reindeer
raccoon

114.

Spring
Summer
Autumn
Winter
January
February
March
April

May
June
July
August
September
October
November
December

Sunday
Sabbath
Monday
Tuesday
Wednesday
Thursday
Friday
Saturday

115.

parrot
eagle
tortoise
pleasant
croquet
cutlass
pulley
candles

canary
beetle
lizard
balmy
billiards
auburn
ferrule
feathers

oriole
lizard
butterfly
genial
lacrosse
pinnacle
weasel
varnish

116.

pivot
journey
cedar
pamphlet
conductor
gymnastics
apprentice
lobster

rivet
cruise
depot
magazine
chestnut
senator
operator
financier

pendulum
voyage
parcel
telegraph
whistle
citizen
politician
tailor

117.

moulder
bookseller
gilder
gasfitter
photographer
librarian
bricklayer
seamstress

carpenter
sailor
painter
printer
student
engineer
suitor
justice

minister
hackman
teacher
stationery
stationary
surgeon
steward
countess

118.

servant
purser
porter
colonel
duchess
admiral
carmine
lavender

alderman
confectioner
adjutant
sovereign
emperor
bishop
indigo
violet

magistrate
major
corporal
president
sergeant
prelate
vermilion
lilac

119.

siphon
dairy
diary
alluvial
citrons
sausage
mushroom
eraser

aqueduct
sickle
cultivator
clover
carrots
celery
foreign
almanac

gypsum
meadow
agriculture
melons
peppermint
timothy
crayons
pamphlet

120.

mucilage
mica
agate
mercury
measles
potash
medicine
Esquimaux

category
nickel
gypsum
plumbago
headache
cholera
Asiatic
Norwegian

envelopes
cobalt
granite
catarrh
chilblains
nausea
European
English

121.

crater
prairie
volcano
island
channel
soprano
contralto
tambourine

isthmus
mountain
continent
ocean
promontory
bugle
guitar
agate

plateau
oasis
peninsula
canal
estuary
cornet
violin
onyx

122.

sapphire
epoch
monument
patriarch
patriot
anarchy
parliament
rebellion

emerald
ancient
majesty
ministry
viceroi
populace
government
rarity

amethyst
monarch
autocrat
governor
tyranny
dynasty
authentic
rarefy

123.

condense
cohere
grammar
arithmetic
economy
decimal
anecdote
reduction

velocity
diverge
chemistry
botany
physiology
motion
centuries
difference

tenacity
ascend
geography
hygiene
geometry
narrative
cohesion
avalanche

124.

Aaron
Abel
Abraham
Adam
Adolphus
Albert
Alexander
Alfred

Alonzo
Alvin
Ambrose
Amos
Andrew
Anthony
Archibald
Arnold

Arthur
Asa
Augustus
Basil
Benedict
Benjamin
Bernard
Bertram

125.

Caleb
Calvin
Cecil
Cephas
Charles
Christopher
Clarence
Claude

Clement
Cornelius
Cyril
Cyrus
Daniel
David
Donald
Duncan

Ebenezer
Edgar
Edmund
Edward
Edwin
Egbert
Eli
Elias

126.

Elijah
Enoch
Ephraim
Erastus
Ernest
Eugene
Eustace
Ezekiel

Ezra
Felix
Ferdinand
Francis
Franklin
Frederic
George
Gideon

Gilbert
Godfrey
Gregory
Gustavus
Guy
Harold
Henry
Herbert

127.

Herman
Hezekiah
Hiram
Horace
Horatio
Hubert
Hugh
Humphrey

Hugo
Ira
Isaac
Jabez
Jacob
James
Jasper
Jerome

Jesse
Job
John
Jonas
Jonathan
Joseph
Joshua
Josiah

120.

Julius
Justin
Lambert
Lawrence
Lemuel
Leonard
Levi
Lewis

Lionel
Lorenzo
Lucius
Luke
Luther
Mark
Marmaduke
Matthew

Maurice
Martin
Michael
Miles
Morgan
Moses
Nathan
Nathaniel

120.

Nicholas
Norman
Oliver
Orlando
Oscar
Patrick
Paul
Peter

Philip
Ralph
Reginald
Reuben
Richard
Robert
Roderic
Roger

Roland
Rufus
Rupert
Samson
Samuel
Saul
Seth
Silas

130.

Simeon
Simon
Solomon
Stephen
Sydney
Theodore
Thomas
Timothy

Vincent
Walter
Zachariah
Abigail
Ada
Adeline
Adela
Adelia

Agatha
Agnes
Alberta
Alexandra
Alice
Almira
Amanda
Amelia

131.

Amy
Amabel
Angelina
Ann
Anna
Annie
Arabella
Augusta

Barbara
Beatrice
Belinda
Bertha
Betsey
Blanche
Bridget
Caroline

Catharine
Celia
Charlotte
Christina
Cicely
Clara
Clarissa
Clementina

132.

Constance
Cora
Cordelia
Cornelia
Cynthia
Delia
Dora
Dorcas

Dorothy
Edith
Eleanor
Elinor
Eliza
Elizabeth
Ella
Ellen

Elvira
Emma
Emily
Emmeline
Esther
Eugenie
Eunice
Euphemia

133.

Eva
Evangeline
Eveline
Faith
Fannie
Flora
Frances
Geraldine

Gertrude
Grace
Hannah
Harriet
Helen
Henrietta
Hester
Ida

Inez
Irene
Isabella
Jane
Janet
Josephine
Julia
Laura

184.

Lavinia
Leonora
Letitia
Lilian
Lilly
Louisa
Lucinda
Lucretia

Lucy
Lydia
Mabel
Madeline
Margaret
Maria
Marion
Mary

Martha
Matilda
Maud
Melissa
Mercy
Mildred
Millicent
Minnie

185.

Miranda
Nancy
Nora
Olive
Ophelia
Patience
Pauline
Phoebe

Polly
Priscilla
Prudence
Rachel
Rebecca
Rhoda
Ruth
Sally

Sarah
Sophia
Stella
Susan
Victoria
Viola
Virginia
Winifred

186.

Butter	50 @ 30	Celery, $\frac{3}{4}$ doz.	50 @ 60
Honey	20 @ 25	Radishes, "	20 @ 25
Eggs, hens'	30 @ 40	Artichokes "	50 @ 1.00
" ducks'	35 @ 45	Horserad'h "	10 @ 15
Lard, $\frac{3}{4}$ lb	18 @ 20	Mushrooms "	25 @ 35
Bacon, $\frac{3}{4}$ lb	18 @ 20	Melons, each	48 @ 50
Onions, $\frac{3}{4}$ lb	2 @ $2\frac{1}{2}$	Peppers, "	25 @ 35
Cauliff'rs, each	10 @ 15	Garlic, "	5 @ 8
Cabbages, "	12 @ 20	Eschalots, "	20 @ 25

137.

goodness' sake
righteousness' sake
conscience' sake
Moses' law
Jesus' feet
Xerxes' army
ladies' school
girls' class-room
boys' wardrobe

miners' strike
joiners' tools
Farmers' Bank
Mechanics' Institute
misses' shoes
men's ideas
women's rights
children's clothing
brethren's meeting

PART II

RULES

Pupils should be taught a few rules for spelling.

Exercise I. Observe the following words :

fat	fatter	fattest	fatting
	fatted	fatten	fatty
set	setting	setter	
hit	hitting	hitter	
hop	hopped	hopping	hopper
scrub	scrubbing	scrubbed	scrubber
	scrubby		
sun	sunny	sunned	sunning

RULE 1. Observe that the first word of each of these series is a word of one syllable, and ends in a single consonant preceded by a single vowel, and that it doubles the final consonant on adding a syllable beginning with a vowel.

Form as many words as you can by adding a syllable beginning with a vowel to each of the following words :

bat	drag	crib	blot
glad	drug	dig	bud
hum	flat	dim	clot
man	flip	dog	clap
rob	fret	drip	crab

pen	gad	drum	dad
stag	get	fit	dip
shed	hop	fun	dot
bag	job	gem	drub
bed	rub	grit	dun
bid	stop	hot	flit
bob	stir	jet	fur
cap	beg	whip	glad
chat	bit	shop	gag
clog	bog	upset	grin
cram	can	bet	hat
dam	chop	ban	jag
dim	cot	bib	jut
kid	spin	run	pen
let	sprig	sap	pot
mad	step	shut	rag
mit	strap	slip	rib
net	stud	slur	rob
pat	knot	snug	sad
pin	knit	span	set
put	lap	spit	sit
ram	man	stab	slop
rid	map	stem	snap
rot	mob	strop	sob
sag	nod	stun	spar
ship	pet	lag	spot
sin	plan	lug	stop
slug	quit	mat	stir

snag	red	mud	strum
sot	rip	pad	sun
tan	whip	war	wad
tip	tap	whirl	whet
trot	top	tin	wrap
wet	up	trip	

Observe the following :

box	boxer	boxing
fox	foxing	foxed
	foxy	foxish
fix	fixing	fixed
	fixable	fixedly
	fixedness	

These are not exceptions to the general rule. x is not a single consonant, being equivalent to ks.

Form words by adding syllables beginning with vowels to the following :

lax	sex	tax
wax	vex	mix
flax		

Exercise II. Observe the following :

begin	beginner	beginning
forget	forgetting	
forgot	forgotten	
admit	admitted	admitting
	admitter	admittable
prefer	preferred	preferring

RULE 2. *It will be observed that the first word of each series has the accent upon the final syllable, and that this word ends in a single consonant preceded by a single vowel, and doubles the final consonant on adding a syllable beginning with a vowel.*

Form as many words as you can by adding a syllable beginning with a vowel to each of the following words :

acquit	emit	submit	rebel
cabal	allot	unfit	appal
commit	refer	canal	repel
incur	transmit	occur	

Exercise III. Observe the following :

move	movable	moving
abate	abating	abatable
amuse	amusing	amusable
captive	captivity	captivate
elaborate	elaboration	elaborator
		elaborating
excuse	excusable	excusing

RULE 3. *It will be noticed that words ending in a silent e drop the e on adding a syllable beginning with a vowel.*

Form words where possible by adding a syllable beginning with a vowel.

accede	accuse	acquiesce
active	adduce	adhere
adjudge	advance	advertise

aggravate	aggrieve	agitate
alienate	alleviate	amaze
amuse	animate	antecede
appraise	apprise	arrange
ascribe	assume	atone
attribute	awake	babe
base	baste	bide
bustle	cackle	captive
carve	censure	chance
chase	chastise	chime
cleanse	cleave	close
cohere	coincide	come
concede	compute	conceive
condense	condone	confide
confine	confiscate	confuse
conjecture	console	consume
contemplate	contrive	converse
convoke	convulse	cooperate
coordinate	correlate	corrode
crave	cremate	cube
cure	curse	dabble
dare	dangle	deliberate
decline	decimate	decrease
deface	defame	defence
defile	deliberate	delineate
demonstrate	denominate	depose
deodorize	depreciate	deprive
depute	describe	desecrate

deserve	desire	desolate
determine	devise	devolve
devote	dictate	diffuse
dilate	discriminate	dislocate
disguise	dispense	displease
dispose	dispute	dissemble
disuse	diverge	divide
divine	dodge	dote
drape	drive	eclipse
effervesce	ejaculate	elevate
eliminate	elongate	elope
elude	emancipate	emerge
emigrate	emulate	endure
engage	enlarge	ennoble
ensue	enunciate	escape
evacuate	evade	evaporate
excite	exclude	excrete
excuse	exercise	exhale
expatiate	expedite	expose
expropriate	extricate	exude
fade	fatigue	figure
fire	flame	force
fume	gape	garble
gaze	giggle	give
glide	glue	gore
gouge	gravitate	grieve
guide	halve	handle
have	heave	higgle

hire
illuminate
impede
impose
incite
inculcate
induce
infinite
inscribe
inspire
invade
involve
license
live
loose
mangle
meliorate
mistake
modulate
muse
nerve
obscure
overstate
paraphrase
perceive
perspire
pierce
plate

humble
immerse
implore
impute
incommode
indicate
inebriate
infuse
insnare
introduce
investigate
joke
like
lose
lunge
manure
migrate
mizzle
muffle
muzzle
objurgate
obtrude
pale
pasture
perjure
persuade
pipe
please

hustle
immigrate
importune
incarnate
inculcate
indite
inflamm
inhere
insinuate
intrude
invoke
jumble
litigate
lubricate
make
measure
mingle
moderate
mumble
name
observe
oscillate
parade
penetrate
persevere
pile
plague
pliable

plunge	poise	poke
pole	pore	precipitate
predicate	preface	premise
prepare	presage	preserve
preside	presume	prevaricate
probe	produce	propitiate
propose	prose	prosecute
prostrate	protrude	prove
provide	provoke	puddle
puerile	purchase	purge
quake	quibble	race
rake	rate	rattle
raze	rebuke	receive
recognize	reconcile	reduce
refine	refute	regenerate
regulate	rehearse	reinforce
reiterate	relapse	relate
release	remove	remunerate
repine	repose	reprobate
repulse	require	reserve
reside	resolute	respire
respite	resume	resuscitate
retrieve	reverse	revive
revolve	rifle	ripple
rogue	rouge	ruffle
rule	salute	satiate
saturate	scale	scribble
score	secure	seduce

seethe
serve
shame
slate
slide
smuggle
spire
stagnate
state
straggle
subserve
subvene
superpose
table
tangle
throttle
toddle
trade
transpose
tube
twinge
unite
untwine
venerate
vitate
waste
while

seize
settle
shave
slave
smile
sneeze
splice
stare
stone
stroke
subside
suffice
supersede
tackle
taste
time
tolerate
traduce
tremble
tune
undertake
unlike
urge
ventilate
wade
wave
wrestle

separate
shape
situate
slice
smite
speculate
sphere
starve
store
subscribe
substitute
suffuse
supreme
take
tattle
tire
trace
transpire
triturate
twine
underwrite
unsettle
vaccinate
vindicate
wake
weave
yoke

EXCEPTIONS. Observe the following and show why silent e should not be dropped :

advantage	advantageous
allege	allegeable
damage	damageable
courage	courageous
change	changeable
charge	chargeable
interchange	interchangeable
manage	manageable
marriage	marriageable
outrage	outrageous
peace	peaceable
singe	singeing
voyage	voyageable
notice	noticeable
service	serviceable
tinge	tingeing
dye	dyeing

Exercise IV. Observe the following :

severe	severely	severeness
fine	finely	fineness
	finespun	finespoken
blue	blueness	bluely
move	movement	moveless

Notice that the syllable which is added begins with a consonant.

RULE 4. *Hence silent e is retained before an affix beginning with a consonant.*

Add *ment*, *ness*, *full*, or *ly* to each of the following :

excite	chastise	induce
measure	defile	achieve
adhesive	engage	acquire
appraise	indite	ample
base	advertise	obscure
confine	active	waste
elope	amuse	oblique
amaze	atone	revoke
scarce	close	use
advance	diffuse	pale
arrange	enlarge	wake

Exercise V. Observe the following words :

nudge	nudging	nudged
judge	judging	judgment
lodge	lodgment	lodger

RULE 5. *Hence words ending in dge drop the final e on taking any suffix.*

Exercise VI. Observe the following words :

ceiling	conceive	conceit
deceive	deceit	perceive
receive	receipt	seize
seizure	seignor	

achieve	achievement	believe
bier	chief	field
fief	fierce	fiend
grief	grieve	aggrieve
lief	lien	mien
grenadier	liege	mischief
niece	piece	pierce
pier	thief	

RULE 6. *It will be observed that, when a hissing sound precedes the sound of long e, this sound is represented by ei; and when another sound precedes it, this sound is represented by ie. There are a few exceptions, as the following:*

siege	besiege	deity
leisure	weir	

PART III

Words liable to be misspelled because the same sounds in them are spelled in different ways.

NOTE 1.—Explain the meanings of new words when assigning each lesson.

NOTE 2.—Pupils should write short simple sentences including new words as they are given out by the teacher.

1.

ain, are, ein, eign, aign.

abstain	plain	strain
crane	appertain	sustain
profane	bane	insane
skein	humane	wane
deign	arraign	campaign

2.

ause, aws, auze.

cause	pause	withdraws
because	applause	gnaws
flaws	squaws	gauze

3.

ald, auled, alled, awled.

bald	scald	stalled
called	mauled	crawled
squalled	sprawled	drawled

4.

all, awl, aul.

install
bawl
sprawl
maul

forestall
drawl
brawl
haul

gall
wall
crawl
yawl

5.

aud, oad, awed.

fraud
broad
sawed

defraud
abroad
gnawed

applaud
pawed
laud

6.

ay, ey, eigh.

bray
fray
affray
delay
betray
convey
obey

allay
defray
display
they
purvey
disobey
weigh

flay
astray
dismay
repay
array
survey
inveigh

7.

eak, ake.

break
brake
shake
awake
partake

steak
stake
drake
spake
mistake

make
flake
snake
forsake
undertake

3.

eak, eek, lek, ique.

freak	bleak	creak
wreak	squeak	sneak
peak	streak	bespeak
shriek	creek	sleek
antique	pique	unique
clique	oblique	critique

9.

ean, een, ene, in, ine.

dean	wean	clean
lean	green	unclean
between	spleen	foreseen
unseen	careen	obscene
convene	serene	marine
routine	ravine	mandarin

10.

ear, eer, ere, ier.

year	smear	spear
appear	disappear	endear
arrear	cheer	queer
sneer	career	veneer
domineer	mutineer	gazetteer
pioneer	adhere	cohere
severe	austere	grenadier
interfere	persevere	chandelier
cavalier	frontier	gondolier

11.

eat, eet, ete, elt, eipt.

bleat
defeat
replete
fleet
street
conceit

entreat
repeat
concrete
greet
discreet
deceit

treat
retreat
complete
secrete
obsolete
receipt

12.

ease, eece, eese, lece, ice, ise.

decease
release
fleece
geese

lease
decrease
valise
police

cease
increase
apiece
caprice

13.

ie, el.

achieve
believe
brief
conceit
conceive
either
liege
deceit
deceive
fiend
fierce

grief
weird
leisure
liege
niece
perceive
pierce
seizure
shield
priest
receive

relieve
reprieve
retrieve
neither
besiege
shriek
siege
tier
wield
yield
inveigle

14.

oan, one, own.

roan
hone
enthrone
own
known

moan
drone
dethrone
sown
thrown

loan
prone
postpone
shown
flown

15.

ue, eu, leu, ul, ew, lew.

clue
cue
value
imbue
rescue
revenue
neuter
lieu
view
beauty
juicy
screw
threw

few
issue
ensue
endue
pursue
undue
retinue
continue
purlieu
review
nuisance
rue
true

sue
tissue
subdue
argue
residue
rueful
eulogy
adieu
pewter
barbecue
bedew
construe
accrue

NOTE.—Long u and its substitutes following the letter r sound like oo in cool; in all other cases they sound like yu or the word you.

16.

Words ending in cy, sy, and zy.

icy
legacy
infancy

fancy
lunacy
privacy

fleecy
fallacy
papacy

piquancy	brilliancy	vacancy
fluency	decency	clemency
potency	idiocy	solvency
excellency	diplomacy	currency
ascendency	buoyancy	competency
confederacy	aristocracy	persistence
flimsy	greasy	poesy
easy	glossy	massy
epilepsy	drowsy	dropsy
leprosy	prosy	embassy
hypocrisy	rosy	breezy
crazy	jealousy	mazy
dizzy	apostasy	oozy

17.

ence, ense, ents.*

sense	hence	whence
tense	commence	difference
eminence	diffidence	indigence
intelligence	eloquence	innocence
residence	preference	reference
excellence	penitence	vehemence
magnificence	negligence	munificence
condense	omnipotence	beneficence
dispense	immense	suspense
recompense	nonsense	incense
settlements	repents	ferments
governments	frankincense	instruments
establishments	experiments	prevents

* t should be sounded.

18.

Words ending in eous and ious.

piteous	hideous	ligneous
duteous	vitreous	beauteous
plenteous	aqueous	cutaneous
osseous	hounteous	spontaneous
simultaneous	extraneous	homogeneous
heterogeneous	instantaneous	curious
odious	dubious	envious
studious	obvious	impious
various	copious	carious
furious	glorious	serious
injurious	spurious	penurious
imperious	delirious	laborious
felonious	abstemious	nefarious
acrimonious	ceremonious	ignominious
parsimonious	sanctimonious	deleterious

19.

Words ending in able and ible.

laudable	curable	durable
tenable	probable	capable
affable	palpable	sensible
blamable	portable	liable
teachable	suitable	laughable
peaceable	saleable	taxable
changeable	serviceable	noticeable
fallible	tangible	edible
possible	visible	fusible

legible
forcible
horrible
combustible
irascible

flexible
terrible
corruptible
indigestible
culpable

feasible
compressible
irresistible
indelible
eligible

20.

Words ending in efy and ify.

stupefy
edify
signify
glorify
falsify
sanctify
amplify
disqualify

rarefy
putrefy
deify
vitrify
clarify
certify
justify
indemnify

liquefy
dignify
verify
terrify
beautify
fructify
petrify
personify

21.

Words ending in ety and ity.

nicety
sobriety
propriety
notoriety
quality
suavity
annuity
urbanity
avidity
neutrality
tranquillity

piety
probity
deity
quantity
enmity
sanctity
humility
malignity
prodigality
probability
fertility

society
anxiety
impropriety
brevity
gravity
gratuity
dexterity
stupidity
commodity
malleability
incredulity

PART IV

NOTE 1.—Explain the meanings of new words when assigning each lesson.

NOTE 2.—Pupils should write short simple sentences including new words as they are given out by the teacher.

THE words in the following lessons are compiled from lists of "words commonly misspelled," sent from many schools in different parts of Canada. In cases of words having the same sound but different meanings, only one is given except in a few instances.

1.

aborigines	amassed	archangel
abyss	amateur	architect
accede	ambiguous	archives
accept	ameliorate	arctic
accordion	amethyst	artificial
accommodate	analogy	ascent

2.

achievement	analysis	ascertain
accumulate	anarchy	assailants
accurate	anatomical	assassin
ache	ancient	asphalt
acknowledgment	angels	assiduous
acquiesce	annihilate	assuage

3.

acquainted
acquittal
acoustic
adept
abridge
acrostic
apathy
ancestry

anonymous
antique
aggregate
antipathy
accuracy
accelerate
acme
athlete

asthma
astronomy
atheism
~~atoma~~
affright
abdicate
abeyance
abrogate

4.

aversion
~~acres~~
across
addition
adhere
adjoin
affability
aghast

anxiety
aperture
apology
apoplexy
apostle
apparent
apostrophe
appalling

abstinence
assignee
analogous
attachment
alphabet
audible
authority
auger

5.

agile
aggrieve
aisle
alcohol
allege
alley
alpaca
abstruse

apparel
appearance
appellation
apprehension
aqueduct
aqueous
anthracite
aborigines

augur ☉
author
autocrat
autumn
auxiliary
avenue
avoirdupois
awkward

6.

athwart
almanac
abnormal
absolute
accomplice
ankles
almost
ague

annexation
aught (2)
asked
awed
altar (2)
anguish
afghan
arctic

axiom
arraign
adieu
airy
awning
almonds
already
artifice

7.

always
apiece
accede
assess
abscess
ascendant
asbestos
adamant

allspice
allegiance
alias
ascension
abstinence
apostasy
asparagus
bigamy

admittance
advertise
attorney
alienate
associate
amiable
association
apothecary

8.

beguile
bailiff
ballad
balmy
banana
bargain
barouche
battalion

bulletin
beverage
bias
bicycle
bier (2)
biennial
bilious
billiards

alligator
begrudge
bulwark
brunette
brethren
bridle
bridal
brigadier

9.

bayonet	biscuit	Briton
bazaar	brilliant	Britain
beau	bivouac	Britannia
beauteous	bivouacked	bronchitis
beleaguers	blamable	brooch
believe	blanc-mange	bruise (2)
benefactor	bleach	bureau
beneficent	bludgeon	burial

10.

beneficial	borough	burlesque
besieging	bosom	busiest
bevel	bounteous	busily
bachelor	balance	business
burglary	brought	buoy
buffalo	bough (2)	buy (2)
barren	brief	bonus
boudoir	breadth	balk

11.

buoyant	benign	buying
behavior	baboon	bequeath
benumb	buggy	baptize
bouquet	blazing	bereave
benefit	balance	union
bodice	brazen	benzine
bauble	beautify	bristles
blonde	brimful	betray

12.

benignant
beastliness
calendar (n)
calmly
caprice
cameo
campaign
camphor

chilblain
chimney
chimes
chisel
chloroform
choir (n)
chieftain
choral

conscience
coincide
conscious
consent
consignee
consolatory
cholera
conveyance

13.

cancel
captain
carat
carcass
carouse
carriage
cashier
cataract

chord (n)
chorister
chronometer
cipher
circuitous
citadel
civilities
civilize

coolly
coquette
coral
corpuscle
corpse
cough
cuisine
councillor

14.

catastrophe
catarrh
cayenne
cedar
ceiling (n)
celestial
celery
cemetery

clerical
clique
coalition
cocoa
codicil
coerce
conscientious
convalescent

counterfeit
coupon (n)
courier
courtesy
cowardice
crescent
cried
crisis

15.

census	colonel	critical
centennial	column	criticism
centre	cohesive	crooked
cereals	coming	crochet
ceremonies	commercial	crocodile
chagrin	committee	croquet
chalk	committing	crucify
chamois	comparing	cruising

16.

changeable	compel	crystallize
chaos	conciliate	cupboard
charade	conductive	curiosity
chastisement	conical	cycle
chasm	concealed	cycle to
chattel	concede	cymbal (s)
cheerily	congenial	cynical
cheque (s)	conqueror	cypress

17.

chestnuts	chandelier	czar
callous	compassed	cousin
creosote	clothe	captious
colloquy	crutch	chloral
climax	chyle	conceive
cavalry	chyme	champagne
capillary	conceit	crevice
calumny	canoe	caucus

18.

cartilage
calisthenics
cigar
chapel
copy
chasten
couple
chronic

colic
currants
calico
chocolate
cauliflower
cinnamon
curable
cupola

canker
Christmas
covetous
corruptible
criticise
chargeable
civilian
clumsiness

19.

christen
chalky
condemn
carbine
coffee ☞
catsup
coercion
colonize

courageous
constellation
cabbages
creator
coalesce
cordial
copier
confectionery

chemistry
chivalry
cordially
cleanliness
charlatan
cochineal
cinnamon
chrysalis

20.

concurrent
defendant
dilemma
donkey
disguise
digit
dairy
diary

consequence
diminutive
demeanor
diphtheria
deference
development
deficit
descendant

chicory
dissolve
desperate
dependent
dulness
diagnose
debarred
disciple

21.

divine	daguerreotype	dandelion
discern	dispense	detachment
disburse	dungeon	derogatory
discipline	deity	diffuse
duteous	diphthong	dictionary
dispel	derision	digestible
decimal	dutiful	docile
dense	disease	data



deceive	despatch	debauch
deign (2)	dissipate	detach
dissyllable	delirious	ductile
depot	deceit	diamond
drudge	dahlia	dwindle
debut	dollar	dizzily
defile	dyeing	dialogue
deluge	dungeon	dynamics

23.

dynasty	duet	devious
dough (2)	disappear	diaphragm
drought	description	despondent
disk	despair	defraud
daughter	decide	depth
dishonor	discomfited	discretion
demagogue	dispossessed	divisible
deficiency	default	diurnal

24.

derrick
double
excellence
exhibit
evasion
eighth
equivocal
epistle

domineer
domicile
eligibility
embezzle
eccentricities
efficacy
expense
efficiency

debris
dwarf
examiner
execrable
erroneous
elegy
envelope
excursion

25.

easel
ecstasy
epilepsy
exchequer
etymology
ellipse
equipage
edible

existence
enemies
errand
extraordinary
entrance
excellent
enrolment
echoing

essential
eager
economy
explicit
either
epitome
enormous
eyrie

26.

exonerate
evanescent
eclectic
eulogy
elapse
eagle
efface
erase

embarrassing
emerge
eminent
effervesce
eccentric
episode
edge
embalm

electrician
equilibrium
emaciate
equipage
exertion
edifice
efficient
etiquette

27.

extreme
esquire
exhaust
exhort
enroll
expel
emissary
exhilarate

editor
epitaph
euphony
effervescence
elegant
extirpate
fuchsia
frigid

exorbitant
exhaustible
expatiate
enterprise
erysipelas
evident
furry
forehead

28.

facetious
Fahrenheit
fossil
flaunt
franchise
fresco
fright
fraught

facsimile
fracas
forte (2)
fierce
frontier
feud (2)
financial
fiery

fertilize
forceps
flambeau
freight
feudal
furnace
forcible
fascinate

29.

facile
financier
feign (2)
fiend
fractional
furlough
falcon
falchion

faucet
facilitate
friend
fledged
fumigate
February
fibres
fiendish

ferocious
fulfil
familiar
finally
fissure
frivolous
feint (2)
foreign

80.

felony
foliage
fete (2)
finesse
foretell
facial
flippant
felon

fifthly
fifteenth
flourish
fiasco
fussiness
gnash
giraffe
gnat

fibrous
frontispiece
flat-iron
flexibility
fatiguing
factious
frolicsome
gorgeous

81.

freckle
gauge (2)
guarantee
graphic
guardian
guinea
gingham
ghostly

granary
gaudy
geranium
gymnastics
gnaw
gypsy
guitar
glisten

grateful
group
gluttonous
grievous
ghastly
grandeur
guillotine
garrison

82.

glossary
glazier
guttural
gratuitous
grammar
grown
guise
gaunt

gases
gymnast
gable (2)
guidance
grotesque
gopher
good by
gratis

gasalier
galleries
guest (2)
grenadier
gaiters
gracious
gluey
gherkin

33.

guy
goal
gallon
greasy
guide
gouge
guileless
gulch

gnarled
ghost
gaseous
glycerine
guerilla
ghostliness
gutta-percha
genealogy

gristle
gusto
gypsum
growth
giant
grieve
grief
gauze

34.

geyser
gazelle
glacier
gossamer
havoc
heinous
hydraulic
hypothesis

gorilla
gazette
heresy
hallelujah
hyacinth
hosiery
hippopotamus
hydrophobia

gout
gibe
guile
hostler
height
hurried
heroic
haughty

35.

hymn (2)
harangue
history
hoeing
homeopathy
honeysuckle
hyena
heifer

hyphen
hygiene
hemorrhage
hypocrisy
hideous
huge
handkerchief
hoarse

hazard
hiccough (2)
humorous
hoping
hilarious
hue (2)
heard (2)
hierarchy

26.

hickory
halves
heirship
handsome
hatchet
hymen
hogshead
heaven

hydropathic
hippodrome
harlequin
hoeing
hurriedly
hideous
huckleberry
heinousness

harassing
habituate
halcyon
hominy
high (a)
historic
hurricane
hypocrite

27.

herbaceous
homogeneous
illegible
inaudible
indict (a)
isthmus
inseparable
impetuous

humiliate
hymeneal
irretrievable
independent
incense
install
impromptu
incision

hospital
itself
immense
invincible
ingenuous
intrigue
issuing
icicle

38.

incredible
irresistible
isolate
illicit
ivy
inveigle
intercede
irrepressible

interrogatory
impassable
interred
inflammatory
indigestible
infidels
intensely
immerse

insidious
imitate
implement
imagine
island
interfere
innocuous
imminent

39.

initial	indispensable	imaginary
iron	incandescent	image
iota	indebtedness	indefinite
impatient	idol (s)	instil
irony	intelligible	impious
irrigate	infallible	irrelevant
indigenous	ineffable	impressible
ivory	innocence	jocular

40.

isosceles	ineligible	jeweller
inflammation	irrevocable	judgment
inoculate	inexorable	Jehovah
irrigation	indebted	joking
inveigh	jeopardy	jealousy
initiate	juiciness	joining
jovial	jeopardize	knew (s)
jilt	joyous	knotty

41.

jaundice	judging	knows
juicy	janitor	knocks
jostle	journey	knowledge
kleptomaniac	knapsack	knave (s)
knock	knolls	kernel
kiln	knives	kerchief
knuckle	knavery	kerosene
knell	knelt	knife

42.

knit
knight (n)
knee
laughter
linen
lichen
loitered
lozenge

knead (v)
kangaroo
locomotive
lathe
lapel
launch
luncheon
larceny

licorice
larynx
label
liquor
lose
losing
lizard
lieutenant

43.

loose
liege
lexicon
luscious
levelled
linguist
loathe
lilies

lattice
lettuce
lynx (n)
leisure
leopard
lion
lacerate
lucid

length
lustre
ludicrous
liniment
lovable
latchet
logarithm
light

44.

languid
liquidate
leviathan
language
laugh
lyre
lapse
lieu

lynch
lily
lens
lava
loosen
luxury
laving
liquefy

lyrics
lacquer
lief
ledger
leopard
leper
laudanum
lineament

45.

league
livelihood
machinery
missile
miscellaneous
malady
mortice
minion

likelihood
literal
mercenary
muscle
mahogany
maintaining
municipal
mimicking

legacy
morsel
mysteries
mournful
mayor (2)
multiple
musing
monarchs

46.

malice
morgue
militia
momentous
melodious
marriage
medal (2)
myrtle

myriad
mignonette
mutinous
melancholy
massacre
mortgage
mechanic
mosquito

martyrs
meant
metre
miniature
moisten
mien (2)
mighty
moustache

47.

mesmerize
mistletoe
mackerel
monosyllable
measles
meridian
meagre
madden

menagerie
murmur
mountainous
model
metal (2)
manceuvre
mischievous
mattress

monetary
magnificent
meteor
martial (2)
musician
moneys
merino
maximum

48.

melon
mortise
mosaic
macaroni
morphine
maintain
mackerel
manageable

mistiness
medicine
marriageable
molasses
marmalade
marine
mischief
masquerade

moccasin
moneyless
manuscript
movable
millennium
might
myth
mirth

49.

negotiate
neuralgia
neutral
novice
nonsense
niche
nickel
nominee

nausea
naphtha
necessarily
niece
nominative
neighbor
nephew
nymph

nervous
naughty
nutritious
nucleus
nineteenth
naval
nitre
normal

50.

nuisance
nugget
nigh
naught
nought
opulent
ordinance
o'clock

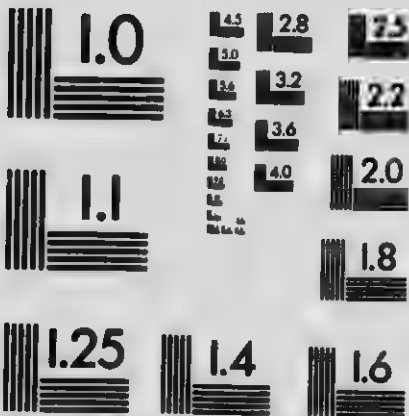
neuter
notation
opaque
oriole
obloquy
optician
obsequies
obsequious

nauseous
nationality
onslaught
ordinarily
orchestra
opposite
owes
oyster



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51.

ocular	occurrence	oblique
orifice	orphan	once
onyx	opportunity	octopus
obeisance	operation	opium
obsolete	occurred	ocean
oscillate	omitted	officious
onion	occasions	orchestral
ostrich	obscene	oratorio

52.

oxygen	official	obstacle
orator	opera	officer
ordeal	participle	phase
orthoepy	predecessor	pierce
oxalic	promissory	psychology
ought (ə)	petition	partial
ooze	piteous	pigeon
plover	privilege	package

53.

puzzle	parable	pittance
prerogue	psaltery	primer
palace	payable	peddler
perceive	prude	pennon
plague	policy	politician
penniless	purchasable	pheasant
precision	picnicking	polygamy
preparation	presence	pickerel

54.

pursuit
pagan
perennial
precise
precede
proceed
pencils
phonography

parallelogram
parchment
perceptible
Presbyterian
pore (2)
pyramids
pencilled
poem

potential
pedagogue
phosphate
pneumatic
persuade
principle (2)
pleasant
particle

55.

pedal (2)
plaid
participle
placid
plausible
persistence
pitiable
passion

pistols
prophetic
periodicals
pompous
portrait
patient
piazza (2)
piteous

prodigious
propagate
police
parachute
precipice
prairie
porridge
precious

56.

paradise
phaeton
palate
perseverance
porpoise
pancreas
physiology
palpable

palatial
porcelain
phosphorus
phrenology
parliament
psalm
pleurisy
phlegm

piece (2)
poison
peasantry
precincts
precocious
prescience
pressure
plebeian

57.

piety	physique	process
preferred	plenteous	piano
pneumonia	paroxysm	picture
petroleum	plateau	pitcher
prestige	phantom	precedent
paralysis	porous	patriarch
pharmacy	parochial	palm
purify	pier (2)	phrase

58.

poultice	poor	pewter
practice	pernicious	peculiar
practise	penitentiary	priests
pronunciation	paralyze	prettily
pamphlet	pinnacle	provincial
poignant	palaver	peaceable
parasol	pavilion	pitiful
particle	proselyte	prosody

59.

plaintiff	putrefy	physician
paradise	potatoes	querulous
quite	quarrel	quartz (2)
quiet	quotient	quest
quorum	qualm	query
quinine	queen	quackery
quadrille	quotation	recruit
quoits	remittance	rhetoric

60.

rouge
rheumatism
rhythm
receive
recompense
razor
rosette
rhubarb (2)

ruffian
rarefy
reservoir
ratio
rendezvous
radical
rhyme (2)
recognize

reprieve
refrigerator
raisin
rhapsody
rein (3)
rescind
ravenous
resources

61.

reiterate
ransom
receptacle
requiem
recommend
resistance
remembrance
repetition

reformatory
rolled
reception
recipe
ridge
resplendent
required
rhinoceros

reverential
receding
revellers
response
religious
raspberries
reconnoitre
rescue

62.

ridiculous
reconcile
receipt
redundant
reindeer
retrieve
rogue
realm

refulgent
route
rejoice
recollect
regalia
rhymers
rennet
ripple

right (2)
rascal
raccoon
roughen
rations
referred
rain-gauge
rasher

63.

rye (2)	rummage	resistance
redoubt	riddance	regatta
reigneth	rueful	rudiment
routine	roguish	receivable
rectify	reminiscence	regime
review	recreant	recourse
radius	reckoner	rebel
reprieve	revenue	restaurant

64.

sieve	sauce	stomach
sacrilege	similar	synthesis
sumach	sure	systematic
supersede	sterile	symmetry
skeleton	sensible	solitaire
stereotype	spontaneous	soldier
sluice	shoulder	silhouette
skein	splendor	Saturday

65.

surname	slender	smooth
schedule	stretched	smother
susceptible	salubrious	sleight (2)
suite (2)	sepulchre	shrewd
senior	scimitar	sense
separate	sacrilegious	stencil
scuttle	sacrifice	soiree
sagacious	severe	strychnine

56.

swindle
sycamore
shovel
specimen
syllable
suasion
sibyl
spinet

sulphur
substantially
symbol (2)
supremacy
sandwich
sirloin
spectrum
species

sanctioned
siphon
stationary
sewer
sealed
shining
siren
spicy

67.

sickle
stirrup
squirrel
shepherd
surgeon
surname
seizing
sight (2)

slyly
sardine
singeing
scholars
sultriness
shovelling
sued
sheath

sapphire
sauciness
serenade
secrecy
scheme
squad
shrewd
smoulder

68.

sigh
sought
slough
straight (2)
sinew
spigot
solemn
specie

salad
sachem
scythe
seized
shield
scrofula
sausage
scissors

souvenir
synopsis
sphinx
seethe
scramble
said
sword
spinach

59.

sanguine	synonymous	sweat
suspense	steak (2)	scathing
superficial	surcingle	sincere
scandalous	subtle	solemn
suitable	salmon	sphere
sleeve	stereoscope	satchel
skilfully	synonym	shriek
science	subpoena	sequel

70.

scene (2)	sturgeon	salary
sloping	singeing	surplus
stirring	stupefy	surplice
satirical	sergeant	succeed
serviceable	sardine	sonorous
secede	soliloquy	sugar
siege	sylvan	sympathy
speech	sapphire	speedily

71.

scent (2)	seraph	selvage
sylph	stylish	shekel
spoonful	sobriety	suction
scruple	stampede	schooner
sheriff	symptom	squander
subaltern	sprightly	shrivel
strategic	slaughter	surfeit
soprano	serene	sonata

72.

somersault
stimulus
sycamore
succession
solemnize
saltpetre
turbulence
tuition

steadiest
sedition
survey
silicate
subterranean
superstitious
tortoise
tranquillity

satellite
syllogism
synagogue
suicidal
scenery
suspicion
tassels
tenacious

73.

tacit
telegraph
truly
traitor
tyrant
truant
telephone
tomato

tantalize
typhus
theatres
thieving
talents
torture
terrace
terrier

thoroughly
twelfth
treacle
thought
touch
trouble
tongue
threw (2)

74.

tomahawk
trivial
troche
trestle
trespass
triennial
tyranny
tripthong

threshold
territories
toothache
trisyllable
tureen
tentacles
treacherous
typhoid

tailor
tenant
traveller
tremendous
trapeze
two (3)
tragedy
tableau

75.

trachea
thigh
tight
taught
through (n)
tether
tying
tartar

thwart
tissues
twirl
taunt
thyme (n)
thief
toughen
tonnage

tariff
tapestry
tabular
tryst
terrific
traceable
towelling
tranquillize

76.

trousers
triphthong
thievish
until
unparaleled
undeniable
unskilful
using

toilet
triple
thistle
unchangeable
union
undoubted
umbrella
unsuccessful

typical
tapioca
tonsil
uneasily
unrobing
universal
utility
unanimous

77.

unique
villain
village
violence
variegated
vacillating
voracious
valise

usury
valleys
volume
various
voluble
view
victuals
virtue

utensil
ugliest
voice
vigilant
visible
vizier
volition
verdure

78.

vertical
vegetable
valiant
vengeance
viewed
veil (2)
vein (2)
valet

vesicle
vermicelli
victualler
vehicle
vexatious
veranda
vermilion
vying

vigorous
vassal
vicious
virtually
very
versatile
ventilate
version

79.

vicious
wrestle
waltz
wield
wrinkle
whistle
wily
weapon

wizard
woollen
wholly
witnessed
Wednesday
wretch
women
wield

victualler
winning
wondering
writing
worshipped
wrapped
whose
wharf

80.

wooded
wrench
worth
whey
wrist
wreath
wroth
wreak

weird
writhe
wrangle
wainscot
wigwam
mole
wryness
wheelwright

weight
wrought
waltzed
wizard
wretched
whooping
whistling
yeast

yolk
yield
yacht
zealous

yeoman
yawl
yearn
zephyr

yew
yesterday
zoology
zinc

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which
separate
develop
whether
February
beneficial
grammar
accommodate
embarrass
business
acquiesce
privilege
parallel
judgment
until
management
analysis
lettuce

potato
iron
together
beginning
surprise
thorough
Negroes
fulfill
principal
professor
descendant
government
analyze
detained
governor
preparation
vertical
prejudice

similar
admittance
irrelevant
foreigner
deceit
hygiene
seize
niece
alley
ceiling
chimney
necessarily
partition
capital
muscle
cleanse
victuals
disease

elm
precede
occasion
divisible
changeable
supersede
occurrence
committee
disappear
mischief
character
pursue
origin
exercise
handkerchief

regretted
noticeable
mischievous
curiosity
miniature
poem
brethren
umbrella
persevere
arctic
particular
adjacent
pumpkin
except
recognize
convenience

millinery
sovereign
restaurant
sever
laboratory
balloon
geography
cistern
misspell
equipage
cemetery
conscier
architect
stationery
athletic

PART V

NOTE 1.—Explain the meanings of new words when assigning each lesson.

NOTE 2.—Pupils should write short simple sentences including new words as they are given out by the teacher.

COMMERCIAL Colleges and Business Schools find that business men have a special vocabulary. The following lessons have been compiled from lists used in Commercial Colleges and Business Schools and other lists supplied by business men. They will be found to be of great value in the higher classes of Public Schools, in Continuation Classes, and in Commercial Colleges and Business Schools.

1.

accede	adjust	abscond
advantageous	accommodate	accessible
accrued	accomplice	acquisition
admittance	abbreviate	accomplish
accountant	acclamation	acceptable

2.

acquainted	abridgment	abstinence
adequate	administrator	acquiesce
acquittal	acknowledgment	accumulate
absorbed	acetylene	aggravate
adjourn	abeyance	aforesaid

3.

abhorrence
accessories
achievement
accuracy
annuity
amendment
amanuensis
alcohol

ad valorem
acquirement
affidavit
aggressive
anniversary
antedate
alibi
allowance

affiliation
aerate
aerial
affirmative
amenable
alimony
ambulance
allotment

4.

allege
annul
antidote
announce
apropos
attorney
apothecary
athletic

alias
antiseptic
anthracite
aluminium
alienist
appropriation
arraign
approximate

appertain
attestation
assignee
appellant
applicable
asphyxiate
aspirant
assessor

5.

assimilated
apprentice
association
appendicitis
anonymous
arduous
artificial
arrears

appurtenance
attachment
appalling
arson
auspicious
auditor
auctioneer
augment

associate
assumed
arbitrator
architect
auxiliary
appetite
adherence
adherents

6.

assignment
ascertain
appraiser
assiduous
ampere
business
bookkeeper
bankruptcy

authority
autonomy
autumnal
avarice
ballast
blamable
bias
balmoral

asceticism
aperture
acceptance
aqueduct
benzine
brokerage
benevolent
billets

7.

beneficial
benefactor
bureau
buoyancy
bacteria
brochure
buffet
certified

bequeath
bailment
barrister
beneficiary
centennial
cancellation
catalogue
calendar

balance
bulletin
bullion
boycott
chargeable
chattels
claimant
client

8.

certificate
caret
censor
calumny
chronicled
chute
circumstantial
chamois

capitalist
cereal
category
clerical
complacency
commendable
computation
compromise

chicanery
clemency
chancery
circuit
committee
compliance
competent
comment

9.

circulation
clientele
chaperon
cite
compendium
complement
compliment
commodious

comprehension
comparatively
commercial
complainant
confectionery
conciliate
contemptible
conveyance

compulsory
combine
compiler
compatible
consensus
concession
consolidate
consistency

10.

commune
community
commendable
commutation
contagious
convalescence
controvert
confederate

conference
concise
conspicuous
conducive
conception
contractor
convene
contraband

consignee
concrete
confiscate
contingent
connoisseur
conduit
copyist
courtesy

11.

conviction
conspiracy
constancy
conscientious
correspondence
collateral
column
corruptible

concurrent
conclusive
concentrated
consignor
covenant
cremation
cultivate
coroner

credence
codicil
credential
colleague
collision
coup
criterion
counsel

12.

culinary	currency	cyclometer
covetous	curriculum	coterie
cognizant	cordially	counterfeit
criticise	coupon	current
contrast	develop	detriment
celebrity	desirable	designer
crisis	dessert	deliberate
chauffeur	designation	deficiency

13.

chandelier	despondency	decipher
copyright	delegate	derision
deficit	defendant	derrick
depreciate	denominate	default
deponent	delinquent	dependent
debentures	debris	detention
despicable	demoralize	derogatory
department	damageable	deprecate

14.

debatch	deception	deleterious
device	defalcation	demurrage
decorative	demise	delirious
deference	decease	discrepancy
dissimilar	dimension	disqualify
disbursement	diagnosis	dividend
discipline	dissolution	diploma
discriminate	discretion	diligently

15.

directory
dispense
diminutive
discountenance
dutiabie
duplicate
dynamo
document

diffidence
dilapidated
dissect
disposition
egress
economic
efficient
edible

dissent
diaries
dirigible
distrain
electrician
embezzle
emanate
envelope

16.

donor
dyeing
dilemma
ecstasy
enterprise
enamel
enabling
enthusiastic

employment
edition
easement
efficacy
emergency
engross
environment
enrolment

effectual
enumerate
eminent
emulate
eradicate
estimate
epidemic
essential

17.

embellish
enhance
endorse
embarrass
esteemed
electioneer
eloquence
executor

enunciation
erasure
establish
erroneous
expedient
exhaustible
exaggerate
exigency

equivalent
eliminate
eligible
equipped
exceeding
expiration
exemption
explicit

18.

exorbitant
excellence
exonerate
equitable
exchequer
excessive
evolution
expenditure

extension
evidence
exponent
existence
extenuate
expedite
extemporaneous
executrix

emigrant
exemplary
encomium
financial
fraudulent
forcible
fumigate
fresco

19.

facetious
fascination
facsimile
fixtures
fratricide
formally
forfeit
formidable

fluctuate
fraternal
facilities
fundamental
forgery
flexible
faulty
finally

feasible
franchise
fictitious
frivolous
fidelity
fiscal
finale
finesse

20.

gauge
guarantee
government
gratuitous
granulated
grievance
gymnasium
gazette

graduate
guidance
guardian
genuine
grantor
gullible
glossary
garnishee

height
heinous
hazardous
hindrance
habitual
hypocrisy
honorary
hereditary

21.

hemorrhage
homeopathy
humane
identification
infidelity
illustrate
irrelevant
irreparable

illogical
illiterate
impossible
illicit
implicit
immigrant
impious
impanel

interlacing
institution
inevitable
indicate
integrity
inaccessible
indulgent
incendiary

22.

insist
inventory
intolerant
influential
invoice
incidental
intersperse
insulation

inquiry
incorporate
incandescent
interference
indorsement
intercourse
inaugurate
indispensable

intervene
install
insufficient
inefficient
inscription
incessant
interstice
invalid

23.

incinerate
intrinsic
intangible
intermittent
ingredient
intestate
indenture
intelligible

iniquitous
inadmissible
incongruous
instigate
incompetent
illusion
imagine
incipient

intercede
impede
indict
insidious
indigenous
indolence
incumbent
indemnity

24.

insolvent
immunity
indelible
intrinsic
incision
insertion
infallible
intricate

indebted
inconsistent
intersect
infamous
indomitable
inseparable
indiscreet
inoculate

initiate
inimitable
inversely
incipient
impromptu
impertinent
imminent
irritable

25.

irrésistible
illegible
irregularity
irretrievable
illegal
initial
inherent
injunction

infringement
independent
implement
impugn
innuendo
jeopardize
jurisdiction
journalize

judicial
justify
juvenile
kodak
knowledge
kerosene
legacy
lubricant

26.

laboratory
ligament
larceny
luncheon
limitations
litigation
liniment
luriant

lithograph
lieu
lading
liability
lessen
legitimate
liquidate
legible

lease
lucrative
leisure
livelihood
lineal
linoleum
libel
lien

27.

manufacture
management
malignant
maritime
manuscript
marvellous
manual
maturing

maintenance
mausoleum
marital
mandamus
memorandum
metre
mercenary
medium

memorable
medically
meritorious
metropolis
mercantile
mediocre
meningitis
mortgage

28.

mileage
monopoly
morsel
missile
morgue
microbe
mortuary
miniature

movable
mechanician
mimeograph
misdemeanor
misinterpret
monitor
miscellaneous
mucilage

millinery
moneyed
municipal
monetary
monopoly
minutiæ
monologue
monogram

29.

nominal
negotiate
negligence
necessary
nuisance
notary
numerical
ninety

notable
naturalize
naphtha
nicotine
nocturnal
nonentity
negative
narrative

nonpareil
niche
novitiate
nutritious
nascent
oblivious
obligation
obviate

30.

obedient	occurred	outrageous
obituary	owing	opiate
obstinate	organizer	ordinance
obtainable	omission	ordnance
obvious	opponent	ostracise
obstruct	originally	ominous
obstacle	onerous	optimism
observant	opportune	ostensible

31.

operation	periodical	perennial
occupation	permeate	paralysis
opulent	petition	perishable
officious	partition	peritonitis
pamphlet	papier-mache	parsimony
perceive	pal: nistry	panacea
peaceable	perimeter	pavilion
parchment	perjury	panel

32.

pessimism	plagiarist	preferred
plumber	paresis	practicable
plenteous	propitious	privilege
pitance	preponderance	proprietor
phlegm	preliminary	precedent
plaintiff	promissory	premium
placid	precision	prosecute
pique	prodigal	premises

83.

proviso
prudential
presage
promenade
proportion
preface
prominent
preferably

practise (2)
prophecy
prerogative
precinct
prescience
procedure
prestige
pro rata

punctual
postscript
pneumatic
poison
policy
politics
purveyor
pursuant

84.

ptomaine
pyrotechnics
perpetuity
physique
propagate
protest
pecuniary
prevalence

personate
preamble
portend
quotation
quarantine
quit-claim
quorum
quandary

receipt
restaurant
reimburse
recollect
requisite
remunerate
revival
reversion

85.

remonstrance
remedy
rarity
refund
refrigerator
remunerative
revise
reputation

recurrence
reprimand
rebate
remittance
resources
registrar
respectively
reciprocate

requisition
responsible
reliability
registration
redemption
remand
renewal
recommend

36.

retrieve
retrospective
reluctance
residuary
reticent
reduplicate
recede
ratify

recipient
raiment
remnant
recipe
ream
replete
reminiscence
renunciation

reversible
resuscitate
residential
reclamation
rescind
receptacle
reality
repertoire

37.

replevin
rapacious
rendezvous
routine
rigorous
ritual
remodelled
raveling

serviceable
satisfactorily
sacrifice
secede
semblance
separate
session
simultaneous

sequel
satiare
serial
salvage
salient
signature
schedule
saleable

38.

scrutinize
sanatorium
sinecure
schism
souvenir
soliciting
solvent
soiree

speculate
spermaceti
specialty
speculation
specie
specification
specialize
synonymous

stationary
stationery
sterilize
stereotype
strategy
surplus
substantial
specimen

39.

superscribe
supersede
suffrage
supplement
summary
substitute
subpoena
surrogate

substantiate
surety
superintendent
susceptible
subsequent
superficial
surreptitious
surveillance

subterfuge
subtle
systematic
syndicate
syncope
succinct
subtile
sinecure

40.

sacrilegious
sustenance
symptom
tangible
ariff
tapestry
acit
testimony

temporary
testator
tenancy
testamentary
transferable
texture
tendency
tenacious

technique
tourist
toboggan
trivial
tenement
travelling
transient
transcribe

41.

treatise
typewriting
tuition
theoretical
typography
typical
tuberculosis
turbine

unintelligible
usury
utility
unvalued
ultimatum
unique
unsaleable
unmistakable

underrate
utilitarian
valuing
variable
valid
vacillation
variegated
verbatim

42.

verity
venial
veterinary
vestige
vener
verbal
vindicate
vitriol

vicissitude
vivacity
villain
vignette
voidable
vocabulary
voucher
voluntary

voluble
vying
vigilance
vaccinate
wholly
waive
warranty

PART VI

Geographical terms, and names of places that Canadian children should be able to spell.

Abitibi	Alleghany	Archipelago
Abyssinia	Almonte	Argentine
Adelaide	Alsace	Arizona
Aden	Altai	Armagh
Adirondac	Amherst	Arnprior
Adriatic	Amherstburg	Assiniboia
Afghanistan	Amiens	Assiniboine
Africa	Amsterdam	Arkansas
Ainsworth	Andaman	Atlanta
Alabama	Andes	Atlantic
Alaska	Anglesey	Athabasca
Alberni	Anticosti	Australia
Alberta	Antigua	Austria
Albany	Antilles	Aylmer
Aleutian	Antioch	Ayr
Alexandria	Apennines	Azores
Algeria	Arabia	Azof
Algiers	Archangel	Babelmandeb
Badajos	Bagdad	Baikal
Baden	Bahama	Balearic

Balkan	Belleville	Brandon
Balmoral	Beloochistan	Bradford
Baltic	Benares	Brampton
Baltimore	Bengal	Brantford
Banff	Berlin	Bristol
Bangkok	Bermuda	British Columbia
Bangor	Berne	Brockville
Barbadoes	Berthier	Brussels
Barrie	Birmingham	Bremen
Batavia	Blenheim	Breslau
Battleford	Bolivia	Bruges
Beauharnois	Bordeaux	Buckingham
Beauport	Bombay	Buenos Ayres
Behring	Bosphorus	Buffalo
Belfast	Boston	Bulgaria
Belle Isle	Bowmanville	Cabul
Belgium	Bracebridge	Cadiz
Cairo	Canton	Cayenne
Calais	Caraquet	Cayuga
Calcutta	Carberry	Ceylon
California	Cardston	Chaleur
Calgary	Caribbean	Champlain
Campbellton	Carleton Place	Charlottetown
Canada	Carlisle	Chatham
Canary	Carman	Chaudiere
Candahar	Carolina	Chautauqua
Canso	Carthage	Chelsea
Canterbury	Castille	Cheltenham

Chesapeake	Clinton	Cornwall
Chicago	Coaticook	Corunna
Chicoutimi	Cobourg	Cote St. Antoine
Chili	Collingwood	Coventry
Chilliwack	Cologne	Cranbrook
Chimborazo	Colorado	Crimea
Chippawa	Comox	Cronstadt
Christiania	Connaught	Cumberland
Cincinnati	Connecticut	Cyprus
Cleveland	Corfu	Dakota
Dalhousie	Dawson	Detroit
Dalmatia	Delaware	Dnieper
Danube	Delhi	Dniester
Dardanelles	Deloraine	Dresden
Darien	Denmark	Drogheda
Dartmouth	Denver	Dubuque
Dauphin	Deseronto	Duluth
Davenport	Des Moines	Ebro
Ecuador	Emerson	Esquimalt
Edinburgh	England	Euphrates
Edmonton	Ephesus	E. Ipe
Egypt	Epirus	Everest
Elbe	Erie	Falkland
Farnham	Florence	Fraserville
Fernie	Formosa	Fredericton
Fiord	Fort Steele	Galiccia
Florida	France	Galt
Galveston	Galway	Gananoque

Ganges	Gibraltar	Greenwich
Genessee	Glace Bay	Greenwood
Geneva	Gladstone	Gretna
Genoa	Glasgow	Guelph
Georgia	Golden	Guernsey
Germany	Gottingen	Guiana
Geysers	Granby	Guinea
Ghent	Grand Forks	Hague
Halifax	Havre	Himalaya
Hamburg	Hawaii	Hindostan
Hamilton	Hawkesbury	Hoang-Ho
Hampshire	Hayti	Honduras
Harz	Hebrides	Honolulu
Hastings	Heidelberg	Hull
Hatteras	Helena (St.)	Hungary
Havana	Hereford	Idaho
Haverhill	Hesperer	Illinois
Indiana	Ireland	Italy
Indianapolis	Irrawaddy	Jamaica
Iowa	Isthmus	Japan
Java	Jerusalem	Juan Fernandez
Jena	Joliet	Kalamazoo
Jersey	Johannesburg	Kamchatka
Kamloops	Kentucky	Kingston
Kansas	Kenora	Kingsville
Kaslo	Kildonan	Korea
Keewatin	Killarney	Kootenay
Kurdistan	Labrador	Lachine

Ladner	Lincoln	Louisville
Laggan	Lindsay	Los Angeles
Lancaster	Lisbon	Louisiana
Leamington	Listowel	Lowell
Leicester	Liverpool	Lucerne
Leipsic	Longueuil	Lucknow
Leti-bridge	London	Luzon
Levis	Louisburg	Lynn
Lima	Louise	Lyons
Macassar	Manitoulin	Milwaukee
MacKenzie	Marquette	Minnedosa
Mackinac	Marseilles	Minneapolis
Macleod	Martinique	Minnesota
Madagascar	Massachusetts	Miramichi
Madeira	Matterhorn	Mississippi
Madras	Mauch Chunk	Missouri
Madrid	Mauritius	Mobile
Maelstrom	Mecca	Mocha
Magellan	Medicine Hat	Moncton
Maine	Melbourne	Montana
Majorca	Memphis	Mont Blanc
Malay	Menai	Monterey
Malta	Messina	Montevideo
Manchester	Meuse	Montgomery
Maisonneuve	Mexico	Montmorency
Manchuria	Michigan	Montreal
Manitoba	Michipicoten	Moosejaw
Manitou	Milan	Moosomin

Morden	Mountain View	Munich
Morocco	Moyie	Nakusp
Moscow	Mozambique	Nanaimo
Nantucket	Newark	Niagara
Napanee	New Brunswick	Nicaragua
Naples	Newcastle	Nice
Narragansett.	Newfoundland	Nicolet
Natal	New Guinea	Niger
Nebraska	New Haven	Nile
Nelson	New Hampshire	Nipissing
Neepawa	New Orleans	Northfield
Nepigon	New Westminster	Norway
Netherlands	New York	Norwich
Nevada	New Zealand	Nova Scotia
Nubia	Oceania	Odessa
Ohio	Oregon	Oshkosh
Oklahoma	Orillia	Oswego
Omaha	Orinoco	Ottawa
Ontario	Orkneys	Owen Sound
Orangeville	Oshawa	Ozark
Pacific	Pembroke	Philadelphia
Paisley	Penetanguishene	Philippines
Palestine	Pennsylvania	Phoenix
Pampas	Pere Marquette	Picton
Panama	Persia	Pittsburgh
Paris	Peru	Platte
Paraguay	Peterboro	Plymouth
Pekin	Petrolea	Poitiers

Poland	Port Hope	Poughkeepsie
Pompeii	Port Moody	Prescott
Portage la Prairie	Porto Rico	Prince Albert
Portland	Portsmouth	Prince Edward
Port au Prince	Portugal	Island
Port Essington	Potomac	Providence
Pyrenees	Qu'Appelle	Quebec
Queensland	Quito	Raleigh
Renfrew	Richelieu	Rochester
Regina	Richmond	Rome
Revelstoke	Rideau	Rossland
Rheims	Rimouski	Rouen
Rhode Island	Rio Grande	Roumania
Rhodesia	Rio Janeiro	Russia
Rutland	Sackville	Sacramento
Saghalien	Santa Cruz	Servia
Saginaw	Santa Fe	Shanghai
Saguenay	Santiago	Shelburne
Sahara	Sarnia	Sherbrooke
Saint Boniface	Saskatchewan	Siam
Saint Hyacinthe	Savoy	Sierra Leone
Salisbury	Sault St.	Seoul
Samoa	Marie	Sinai
San Diego	Scotland	Singapore
Sandon	Scranton	Sioux
San Francisco	Seattle	Slocan
San Jose	Seine	Smyrna
San Juan	Selkirk	Socotra

Somerset	St. Catharines	Strathroy
Sorel	St. John	Suez
Souris	St. Lawrence	Sumatra
Southampton	St. Louis	Summerside
Spain	St. Paul	Susquehanna
Spitzbergen	St. Petersburg	Sweden
Springhill	Stratford	Switzerland
Stockholm	Strathcona	Sydney
Syracuse	Tacoma	Tadousac
Tangier	Three Rivers	Trail
Tasmania	Tierra del Fuego	Transvaal
Tchad	Timbuctoo	Trenton
Teheran	Tobolsk	Trinidad
Temiscaming	Tokio	Tripoli
Teneriffe	Toledo	Truro
Tennessee	Topeka	Tunis
Terre Haute	Toronto	Turin
Texas	Toulon	Turkestan
Thames	Toulouse	Turkey
Thebes	Tracadie	Tyrol
Thibet	Trafalgar	Ungava
United States	Uruguay	Utica
Ural	Utah	Utrecht
Valencia	Venice	Victoria
Valleyfield	Vera Cruz	Vienna
Valparaiso	Vermont	Virden
Vancouver	Versailles	Virginia
Venezuela	Vesuvius	Vistula

Volga	Vosges	Wabash
Wales	Westmount	Winnipeg
Warwick	Wetaskiwin	Woodstock
Warsaw	Wheeling	Woolwich
Washington	Wight	Worcester
Waterloo	Wilkesbarre	Wyoming
Wellington	Windsor	Yangtse Kiang
Yarmouth	Ymir	Ypsilanti
Yenisei	Yokohama	Yucatan
Yukon	Zanzibar	Zurich
Zambesi	Zuider Zee	

PART VII

Words of similar sound, but spelled differently and having different meanings.

NOTE 1.—Pupils should find the meaning of the following words in the dictionary, and write short sentences illustrating their use.

NOTE 2.—Pupils should also write from memory words, *not shown in this list*, which also have similar sounds and are spelled differently and have different meanings.

1.

air	ere, heir	aunt	ant
ale	ail	ate	eight
all	awl	aught	ought
alter	altar, halter	assent	ascent

2.

bade	bad	belle	bell
bale	bail	bear	bare
bawled	ball, bald	beer	bier
bard	barred	passed	past

3.

bruise	brews	bred	bread
beau	bow, bough	bridal	bridle
buy	by	bowl	bole
birth	berth	beach	beech

4.

Briton	Britain	lesson	lessen
berry	bury	bate	huit
brute	bruit	calendar	calender
blew	blue	chaste	chased

5.

cruel	crewel	cord	chord
climb	clime	tied	tide
clause	claws	canvas	canvaes
coarse	course	corps	core

6.

colonel	kernel	ceiling	sealing
canon	cannon	cellar	seller
cession	session	ode	owed
choler	collar	cent	scent, sent

7.

site, cite	sight	coward	cowered
choir	quire	chews	choose
cygnet	signet	currant	current
creek	creak	desert	dessert

8.

dear	deer	die	dye
doe	dough	dost	dust
need	knead	dire	dyer
dun	done	ewe	yew

9.

earn	urn	faint	feint
due	dew	fain	fane, feign
see	sea	no	know
exercise	exorcise	fair	fare

10.

feet	feat	flour	flower
fore	four	flocks	phlox
forth	fourth	Jane	jean
fowl	foul	gate	gait

11.

threw	through	grater	greater
gilt	guilt	side	sighed
gilder	guilder	meet	meat, mete
grate	great	grisly	grizzly

12.

flue	flew	gambol	gamble
gored	gourd	hale	hail
Greece	grease	hall	haul
guest	guessed	hair	hare

13.

board	bored	hoes	hose
rabbit	rabbet	indite	indict
holy	wholly	our	hour
hymn	him	lain	lane

14.

hero	hear	main	mane
lux	lacks	might	mite
mean	mien	manner	manor
mail	male	mantle	mantel

15.

marshal	martial	mode	mowed
metal	mettle	mucous	mucus
medal	meddle	nice	gneiss
mower	more	mule	mewl

16.

missed	mist	one	won
nun	none	prize	pries
ore	oar, o'er	pane	pain
pail	pale	plane	plain

17.

plains	planes	pair	pare, pear
plait	plate	peace	piece
praise	preys	peal	peel
pallet	palate	peak	pique

18.

peer	pier	principal	principle
please	pleas	pedal	peddle
plum	plumb	prophet	profit
pour	pore	pumice	pomace

19.

practice	practise	red	read
quarts	quartz	read	reed
rein	rain, reign	right, rite	write
raise	rays, raze	rote	wrote

20.

wretch	retch	scene	seen
rude	rood	sale	sail
ruff	rough	saleable	sailable
rye	wry	sleight	slight

21.

serge	surge	sailor	sailer
so	sow	succor	sucker
steel	steal	style	stile
soul	sole	symbols	cymbals

22.

tail	tale	two	too, to
tacks	tax	their	there
travel	travail	throne	thrown
throws	throes	tolled	told

23.

thyme	time	wade	weighed
vain	vein, vane	way	weigh
vide	vied	wait	weight
vial	viol	waste	waist

PART VIII

— — — DICTATION EXERCISES

Illustrating the use of some of the more difficult words in the preceding parts of the book.

It is a good practice to require the pupils occasionally to form sentences containing the words in the lessons, and to ask them to include as many words as possible in each sentence.

REVIEWS OF PART I

He used an eraser to erase the word "dairy," which he had written by mistake for "diary" in a pamphlet.

The subjects I like best are grammar, hygiene, arithmetic and geography.

She was absent from school for two months. She had an attack of measles followed by catarrh.

The laborer grew fine rhubarb in his garden, and he gave some to the janitor.

We had a pleasant time playing croquet with the surgeon and the sculptor last Wednesday.

He was a studious young man who was very eager to enter the academy.

He wore moccasins, and had gaiters buckled round his ankles.

The squaws are very skilful in making a unique kind of embroidery.

Each skein was spun by my niece.

The editor tried to play the surveyor and then ran away but he was caught by the sheriff who followed him in a sleigh.

My pigeon flew from the back of the heifer to the back of the pony.

The captain would allow no nonsense on his yacht.

I do not believe that he received the chisel before the twelfth of January.

You should separate those two boys and keep them in separate seats.

John used a sickle to cut some timothy in the meadow.

His Majesty the King is the finest sovereign of his dynasty.

The governor was an autocrat whose tyranny nearly led the government, the parliament, and the populace into rebellion.

The viceroy was a patriot who was loyal to his monarch, and he deserved the monument that was erected to his memory.

The avalanche destroyed in a few minutes the results of centuries of development.

The policemen kept the way clear for the mayor and his sovereign, on their way to the council chamber, where they were received by the aldermen.

REVIEWS OF PART IV

The missionaries did their best to ameliorate the condition of the aborigines and reduce their appalling death rate.

The pastor had an attack of apoplexy as he was walking in the aisle towards the altar.

The attorney and the bailiff were unable to secure admittance because they found a higher authority already in charge of the criminal.

The brigadier led his battalion to victory with fixed bayonets, and then the soldiers bivouacked at the foot of the mountain.

The thief and his accomplice committed burglary in the home of a bachelor who had retired from business.

The beauteous and brilliant daughter of the chorister was the belle of the bazaar.

The captain was the constant companion of his chieftain during the campaign, and saved his life in the attack on the citadel.

The conscientious cashier refused to accept counterfeit money.

The committee made a useful comparison of the different exhibits at the Centennial, and reported their criticisms to the directors.

He was so cynical, so changeable, and so tyrannical that he was called "the czar."

My cousin threw chestnuts at the chandelier.

The captious colonel led the cavalry to the ravine where the enemy was concealed.

He was criticised because he lit a cigar in the chapel after he had taken a cup of chocolate at a Christmas festival.

He was condemned for his lack of chivalry.

The defendant was charged with stealing chicory and

confectionery. His demeanor indicated that he was a desperate character.

He was cordially received when he threw off his disguise, and revealed his extraordinary ability.

After his debauch he became delirious, and had to be placed under control.

The demagogue was discomfited by the proof of his dishonor.

The despatch states that a bag of diamonds mysteriously disappeared from the depot.

The dwarf exhibited many eccentricities, some of which were embarrassing to his friends who were eager to save him from his enemies.

The eminent electrician lost his equilibrium and fell from the edifice.

The facetious editor wrote a humorous epitaph.

They fought ferociously on the frontier last February.

Some frolicsome young men in gorgeous costumes paraded through the town on the fifteenth of December.

The freckled gypsy with the gaudy clothes played the guitar well and gave a good gymnastic exhibition.

The height of the giant gorilla was more than six feet.

He had a humorous hypothesis for everything, and we were therefore continuously hilarious.

The immense army attacked with such impetuous force that they were irresistible and invincible, and the defeat of the enemy was irretrievable.

He was a good speaker, jocular and impressive, but his remarks are sometimes irrelevant.

I thought he was joking when he tried to initiate me into his knavery with a perfect assumption of joyous innocence.

In my judgment the janitor is guilty of larceny and should be punished for his knavery.

The lieutenant came to the luncheon in a launch, and returned on a locomotive.

He is a very lovable young man, without a trace of jealousy.

I saw a lion, a leopard, and a lynx in the menagerie.

There is every likelihood of the organization of a league to purify municipal politics.

Several bad boys were developing their muscles by throwing missiles at the mayor's carriage.

Some of the militia became mutinous, but they were quieted in time to prevent a massacre.

The mechanic with the red moustache became melancholy. He put a mortgage on his property after his marriage.

The musician says that in mountainous districts he often sees magnificent meteors.

If you eat nutritious food of the proper kind you will strengthen your nervous system, and not be so liable to attacks of neuralgia.

My nephew is paying attention to the niece of my neighbor. She is an orphan.

The onion has a strong odor.

The orator advised us to avoid the use of obscene and obsolete language on all occasions.

My predecessor was dismissed for throwing obstacles in the way of an officer who was discharging his duty.

It is the privilege of every free man to petition for his rights.

When the politicians were picnicking, a penniless peddler asked them for a pittance.

The pedagogue tried to persuade the pagan to give up pretence and follow principle.

The policeman found a brace of prodigious pistols on the prairie.

We ate our porridge on the piazza, within a few yards of the precipice.

The peasantry occupy homes that are by no means palatial.

The chemists have discovered a new process by which they can purify petroleum.

The pious patriarch had a slight attack of paralysis, but he is now ill with pneumonia.

It is a pernicious practice to practise theft. Such a practice is sure to lead to the penitentiary.

I lost my parasol on the pinnacle of the pavilion.

The plaintiff made a pitiful plea for compensation for the mistake of the physician.

They had a quarrel about a bag of potatoes.

The ruffian was caught in his rendezvous. He did not receive his punishment yet, because the judge granted him a reprieve.

I recognized him at a reception in the reformatory.

It is ridiculous to attempt to reconcile such conduct with a truly religious man's life.

The boy admired the splendor of the gold lace on the shoulder of the soldier last Saturday.

A shrewd and sensible man will not eat or drink what will injure his stomach.

Try and separate the tangles of this skein of yarn.

The pen will some day supersede the scimitar.

The supremacy of the king is admitted by all.

The scholars allow the squirrel to play in the yard of the school without trying to hurt him.

The sachem gave me this sceptre as a souvenir.

A satchel would be a suitable present for a surgeon.

The lecturer skilfully showed the relation of science to religion.

That stylish sergeant squanders most of his salary for clothes.

The new soprano sings like a seraph.

There has never been any good reason for a suspicion that he was plotting for the succession to the throne.

The telegraph and the telephone are two of the greatest inventions of modern times.

He has fine talents, but he is a traitor and a tyrant.

The Indian threw his tomahawk and killed the settler on the threshold of his home in the new territory.

The tailor has a bad toothache.

The union passed a unanimous vote of sympathy with the unsuccessful candidate.

The villain was guilty of various kinds of violence in the village, and he finally stole a valise.

She proved to be very versatile as we sat on the veranda on Wednesday evening.

The wizard wore a woollen cloak that wholly covered his body.

Several women witnessed the attack of the wily wretch who fatally wielded his weapon on the wharf.

The wheelwright was wretched, but he would not yield to the yeoman.

The boys went up the road whistling and whooping yesterday.

REVIEWS OF PART V

Were you acquainted with the accountant who absconded?

Abstinence from alcohol may enable you to accumulate wealth.

He made an affidavit to prove an alibi for his amanuensis.

The assignee was taken to the shop of the apothecary in an ambulance.

The athletic attorney easily outran the assessor.

The apprentice had a successful operation for appendicitis.

The auditor received an anonymous letter charging him with having too great an appetite.

The auctioneer was appointed arbitrator between the architect and his bookkeeper.

The aqueduct was built by authority of the city.

The barrister was his benefactor and saved him from bankruptcy.

The claimant made a catalogue of the chattels, and a statement of the amounts chargeable against the estate.

The capitalist urged clemency after he had read the debtor's certificate.

The clerical committee recommended a compromise, which was a commendable course to adopt.

After a conference with the contractor we decided to use concrete for the foundation.

The coroner told the jury that he thought there was conclusive evidence of a conspiracy.

The counsel read a codicil to the will as collateral evidence.

The chauffeur accounted for the deficiency in power by saying that the current was not properly turned on.

He was a delegate to the copyright convention.

He could not decipher the despatch about the decease of his friend.

The discovery of the defalcation led to the dissolution of the partnership.

She worked diligently and with great discretion for her diploma.

The electrician made a duplicate copy of the new dynamo which he invented, and which he claimed to be a very excellent and economic machine.

The employment of the most eminent men available in the emergency was the essential step to eradicate the epidemic.

The enrolment of enthusiastic men enabled him to establish his great factory successfully.

His eloquence and the clearness of his enunciation, together with his explicit statement of facts, enabled him to win his case.

He is an eligible young man who is highly esteemed by those who know him best.

The evidence of his exemplary conduct exonerated him from the charge of fraudulent financial transactions.

The excessive expenditure was fully justified by the excellence of the work.

The government appointed him guardian for the guidance of the young graduate.

It is illogical to insinuate that because an immigrant is illiterate he must therefore be lacking in integrity.

I wish could inaugurate some plan to put an end to his incessant intolerance.

After a judicial trial before a court of competent jurisdiction the indemnity had to be paid.

The judgment of the court was that the journalist was guilty of libel, and therefore liable for damages.

We had the privilege of meeting the proprietor of the pavilion.

He made systematic efforts to get the superintendent to supersede him.

He wrote a treatise on the tariff which he published anonymously.

She made a vignette of the villain who threw the vitriol.

PART IX

ETYMOLOGY

A. LATIN AND GREEK ROOTS

LATIN ROOTS

- acer** (*acris*), sharp—acid, acidity, acrimony, acerbity, eager.
acidus, sour—acid, acidity, acidulars.
acuo, I sharpen—acute, -ly, -ness, acumen.
sedes, a house—edifice, edify, -ication, unedifying.
aequus, equal—equalize, equality, equator, equation, equable; equate, equinox, equity, iniquity.
aestimo, I value—estimate, estimable, estimation; esteem.
ager (*agri*), a field—acre, agrarian, peregrinate, pilgrim; agriculture, -al, -ist.
agger, a heap—exaggerate, exaggeration.
ago (*actus*), I do—act, actor, activity, actuate, exact, transact; agent, agitate, cogent, damage, manage, agile, agility; virago.
alienus, belonging to another—alien, -ate, -ated, -ation, -able.
alo, I nourish—aliment, -ated, -ation, -iveness.
alter, another,—alter, -nate, -nation, -cation; subaltern.
altus, high—altitude, exalt, -ation; altar.
amo (*amicus*), I love—amity, amicable, amiable, amorous, amatory, enamoured, inimical, enmity, enemy.
amplus, large—ample, ampli, -fy, -fication, -tude.
ango (*anxi*), I vex—anger, angry, anguish, anxiety, anxious, -ly.
angulus, a corner—angle, angular, rectangular, triangular, quadrangle.
anima, the soul or life—anim, -al, -ate, -ation, -alcule; inanimate.
animus, the mind—unanimous, animosity, equanimity.
annus, a year—annual, biennial, perennial, millenium; annals, anniversary, annuity, annular, centenary.

antiquus, old or ancient—antique, antiquity, antiquated, antiquarian; antic.

aperio, I open—aperient, aperture; April.

appello, I call—appeal, appellative, -ation.

apto, I fit—adapt, apt, -itude, -ly, -ness, adept, inept, -itude, -ly, -ness.

aqua, water—aqueous, aquatic, aqueduct, terraqueous, aquarium.

arbitr, an umpire, a judge—arbitrator, arbitrate, -ation, -ary, -ator, -or.

arbor, a tree—arbor, -eous, -escent, -etum, -ist.

arceo, I shut up, restrain—coerce, coercive, coercion; exercise.

arcus, a bow—arc, arcade, arch, archer, archery.

ardeo, I burn—ardent, ardor, arduous, arson.

arguo, I argue—arguer, argument, -ation, -ative.

arma, arms—arm, -or, -orer, -ory, -y, -ament, -orial, -istice; disarm, unarmed.

aro, I plough—arable, inarable, oration.

ars (*art*), art—art, -ist, -isan, -ifice, -ificial, -ful, -less; inert, inertia, inertness, inertia.

artus (*articulus*), a joint—article, articulate, -ated, -ately, -ation; inarticulate.

asper, rough—asperity, aspirate, -ation; exasperate, -ation.

atrox, cruel—atrocious, atrocious, -ness.

audio, I hear—audible, -itor, -itory, -ience, -ible; inaudible.

augeo (*auctus*), I increase—augment, -ation; auction, -eer, august, -tunn; author, -ity; auxiliary, unauthorized.

auris, the ear—aurist, auricle, auricular; auscultation.

avarus, greedy—avarice, avaricious, -ly, -ness.

avidus, eager—avidity.

barba, a beard—barb, barbed, barber, barbel.

barbaru, rude, savage—barbarian, barbarous, -ity, -ize, -ism, -ic.

beatus, blessed—beatitude, beauty, beatific.

bellum, war—belligerent, rebel, rebellion.

bene, well (*used in composition*), --benefit, benevolent, benison, benefice, beneficent.

bibo, I drink—imbibe, bib, bibber, bibulous, bibacious; winebibber.

bis (*hi*), twice—biped, bisect, biscuit, binary, combine.

bonus, good—boon, bounty, bounteous, bountiful.

- brevis**, short—briest, briefly, brevity, abbreviate, -ation, -ator; breviary.
- brutus**, stupid—brutal, -ize, -ry; brutish, -ly, -ness; unbrute.
- cado** (*cas, cid*), I fail—cadence, case, casuist, casual, cascade; accident, accidentance, coincide, coincidence, decay, deciduous, incident, occident, occasion.
- cædo** (*cad, cia*), I cut—caesura, concise, decide, decisive, decision, excision, incision, precise, precision; homicide, regicide, suicide, etc.
- calculus**, a little pebble—calculate, calculable, -ation, -ator; miscalculate, incalculable.
- candeo**, I am white, I shine—candid, candidate, candor, candle; incense, incentive.
- cano** (*cant*), I sing—cant, canticle, chant, enchant, incantation, recant, accent.
- capillus**, a hair—capillary, capillarity, capilliform.
- capio** (*cep, capt*), I take—capable, -acious, acuity, acitate; captious, -ive, -ivate, -or, -ure; except, precept, intercept; conceive, deceive, receive, receipt, recipient, acceptance, occupation, preceptor, receptacle, susceptibility.
- caput** (*capitis*), the head—capital, capitulate, cape, captain, chapter, precipitate, precipice, recapitulate.
- caro** (*carnis*), flesh—carnate, carnal, carnage, carnival, carrion, carcass, carnivorous.
- cauo**, a cause—causation, accuse, excuse, recusant.
- caveo** (*cant*), to be on one's guard—caution, cautious -ly, -ness, precaution.
- cavus**, hollow—cave, cavern, concave, cavity, excavate.
- cedo** (*ce-*), I yield, I go—cede, cession, cease, cessation, accede, concede, exceed, precede, proceed, recede, succeed, recess, success, -ive, -ion, etc.
- celer**, swift—celerity, accelerate.
- celeber**, renowned—celebrate, -ated, -ation, celebrity.
- celsus**, high—excel, excellent, excellence, excelsior.
- censeo**, I judge, I blame—censor, censorious, censure, censurable.
- centrum**, the centre—central, central; centripetal, centrifugal, concentrate, concentric; eccentric.
- centum**, a hundred—century, centurion; centage, centesimal, centipede.

cerno (*cret*), I judge—certain, certify, concern, decree, discern, discreet, secrete, secret, secretary.

circus, a circle—circlet, circular, circulate, circuit, encircle, semi-circle.

cito, I call or rouse—cite, citation, excite, -ment, incite, recite, recitation, resuscitate.

civis, a citizen—civic, city, civil, -ian, -ity, -ize, -ization, uncivil.

clamo, I cry out—claim, acclaim, clamor, clamorous, declamation, exclaim, proclaim, proclamation, reclaim.

clarus, clear, bright—clear, clearance, clarify, declare, declaration.

claudo (*clud, clus*), I close—close, closet, cloister, conclude, conclusion, include, inclose, recluse, seclusion.

clemens, merciful, mild—clement, clemency, inclement, inclemency.

clino, I bend—decline, declension, declivity, incline, inclination, acclivity, recline.

colo (*cult*), I cultivate—cultivated, colony, colonist, colonial, colonize, culture, agriculturist, occult.

colo, I strain—colander, colation, percolate, percolation.

commodus, convenient—commodious, commodity, incommode.

cor (*cordis*), the heart—core, cordial, courage; concord, concordance, discord, record, accord, accordant.

cornu, a horn—corn, cornet, corneous, cornice, unicorn.

corona, a crown—crown, coronation, corolla, coronet, coroner.

corpus (*corpor*), the body—corporal, corporate, corporation, corporeal, corpulent, corpse, corpuscle, incorporate.

credo, I trust, I believe—creed, credit, credible, creditor, credential, credulous, incredulity, accredit.

creo, I make—create, creator, creation, creature, creative, recreation.

cresco (*cret*), I grow—crescent, accretion, concretion, excrecence, decrease, increase, increment.

crimen, a crime—criminal, crimination, recriminate, -ation.

crudus, raw, unripe—crude, crudity, crudeness.

crux (*cruc*), a cross—crucify, crucifixion, cruciform, crucible, crusade, excruciate, crosier, cross.

cubo, or **cumbo**, I lie down—cumber, cumbent, cumbrance, incubus, accumbent, incumbent, recumbent, succumb.

culpa, a fault—culpable, culpability, culprit, inculpate, exculpate.

cumulus, a heap—cumulative, accumul-ate, -ation, -ator.

- cura**, care—cure, curate, curacy, curious, accurate, secure, sinecure.
curro (*curs*), I run—current, currie, courier, concur, incur, occur, recur, succor, course, concurrence, discourse, incursion, precursor.
- curvus**, crooked—curve, curvature, curvate, incurvate.
- damno**, I condemn—damage, condemnable, condemnation, indemnify.
- debeo**, I owe—debit, debt, debtor, debenture, indebtedness.
- decet**, it is becoming—decent, decency, decorate, decoration, decorous, indecorous.
- deleo**, I blot out, I destroy—delete, indelible, deleterious, -ly, -ness.
- deliciae**, delight—delicacy, delicate, -ly, -ness, delicious.
- dens** (*dent*), a tooth—dental, dentist, dentifrice, dentition, indent, indenture, trident.
- densus**, thick—dense, density, condense, condensation.
- dens**, a god—deify, deity, deist, deism, deification.
- dico** (*dicta*), I set apart—dedicate, dedicatory, abdicate, index, indicate, indicative, predicate, predicament, adjudicate.
- dexter**, right-handed—dexter, dexterity, dexterous, -ly, -ness.
- dico** (*dict*), I say—diction, dictate, dictator, dictatorial, addict, benediction, contradiction, edict, interdict, valedictory, verdict.
- dies**, a day—dial, diary, diurnal, meridian, quotidian, diet.
- dignus**, worthy—dignify, dignity, indignity, deign, disdain, indignant, indignation, condign.
- disco**, I learn—disciple, discipline, disciplinary, disciplinarian.
- divido**, I separate—divide, division, dividend, indivisible, individual.
- divinus**, heavenly—divine, divinity, divination.
- do** (*dat, di*), I give—donor, donation, date, dative, antedate, addition, condition, edit, editor, perdition, tradition, pardon.
- doceo** (*doct*), I teach—doctor, doctrine, document, docile, docility.
- dominus**, a master, a lord—dominant, dominion, domination, dominical, domineer, predominate.
- domus**, a house—dome, domestic, domesticate, domicile, domiciliary.
- dubius**, doubtful—dubious, dubitation, indubitable, doubt, doubtful.
- duco** (*duct*), I lead—duke, ducat, ductile, abduction, adduce, conduce, conduit, conduct, deduction, educate, inducement, reduce, seduce, traduce, aqueduct, viaduct.
- durus**, hard—endure, durable, duration, during, indurated, obdurate, obduracy.

ebrius, drunken—inebriate, inebriety, inebriation (*with sine*) soberly, sobriety.

eg eo, I am in need—indigent, indigence.

ego, I—egoism, egotist, egotize, egotistic, egotism.

elegans, handsome—elegant, elegance, inelegant.

emo (*empt*), I buy—exempt, exemption, pre-emption, peremptory, redeem, redemption; prompt, impromptu.

eo (*it*), I go—circuit, exit, initiate, iterate, obituary, perish, transit, transition.

equus, a horse—equine, equip, equipage, equipment.

erro, I wander—ere, errant, error, errand, erratic, erroneous, aberration, errate.

esse (*ens*), to be—essence, essential, interest, nonentity, absent, present, represent, misrepresent.

exemplum, a model—example, exemplary, exemplify, unexampled, sample.

experior (*expert*), I try—experiment, experimental, expert, expertness, experience, peril.

exter, externus, outward—external, extraneous, extreme, extrinsic.

faex (*fec*), grounds, dregs—feces, feculence; defecate, defecation.

faber, a workman—fabric, fabricate, fabricator, fabrication.

facies, the face—facial, efface, superficies, superficial.

facilis, easy—facile, facility, facilitate, difficult, difficulty.

facio (*fec, fe*), I make—fact, factor, factory, faculty, affect, affection, artificer, confection, deficient, effectual, manufacture, officiate, perfect, proficient, refection, sacrifice, sufficient.

fallo (*fals*), I deceive—false, falsity, fallacy, fallible, infallible, fault.

falx, a hook or sickle—falcated, defalcate, defalcation.

fama, a report—fame, famous, infamous, defame, defamation.

familia, a family—familiar, -ity, -ize, unfamiliar.

fanum, a temple—fane, profane, profanity, fanatic, fanaticism.

farl (*fan, fat*), to speak—fate, fatal, fable, affable, ineffable, infant, nefarious, preface.

fateor (*fess*), I acknowledge—confess, confession, professional.

fatigo, I weary—fatigue, indefatigable, fag.

fatuus, silly—fatuous, fatuity, infatuated, infatuation.

fecundus, fruitful—fecund, fecundate, fecundity.

felix, happy—felicity, felicitous, infelicity, felicitate.

- fendo** (*fens*), I strike or ward off—fender, defend, defendant, offend, inoffensive; fence, defence.
- fero** (*lat*), I bear or carry—ferry, fertile, confer, defer, differ, infer, offering, preference, suffer, transference, collation, odoriferous, elate, prelate, superlative, translation.
- ferrum**, iron—ferreous, ferruginous, ferrule, farrier, farriery.
- ferveo**, I boil or rage—fervor, fervent, fervid, effervesce; fermentation, fever, feverish, febrifuge.
- festus**, joyful—festal, festive, festivity, festival, infect, fête.
- fibra**, a thread—fibre, fibril, fibrous, fibrine.
- fido**, I trust—fidelity, confide, defy, diffidence, infidelity, perfidious, perfidy.
- figo** (*fix*), I fasten—fix, fixture, affix, prefix, transfix, crucifix.
- filius**, a son; **filia**, a daughter—filial, affiliate, affiliation.
- filum**, a thread—file, filament, filigree, fillet, defile, profile.
- figo** (*fict*), I form—fiction, fictitious, figment, effigy, figure, figurative, transfiguration.
- finis**, an end—finish, infinite, infinity, affinity, definite, indefinite.
- firmus**, strong—firm, firmament, affirm, confirm, infirm, infirmity, infirmity.
- fiscus**, a money-bag, the public treasury—fiscal, confiscate, confiscation.
- fissum**, a cleft—fissure, fissile, fission.
- flamma**, a flame—flambeau, inflame, inflammation, inflammatory.
- flecto** (*flex*), I bind—flector, flexion, flexible, deflect, inflection, reflection, reflex.
- fligo** (*flict*), I beat—afflict, affliction, conflict, infliction, profligate, profligacy.
- flo** (*flat*), I blow—flatulent, afflatus, efflation, inflate, inflation, flute.
- flos**, a flower—floral, florid, floridity, flour, flourish, flowery, efflorescence.
- fluo** (*fluct, flux*), I flow—fluid, fluent, fluvial, fluctuate, affluence, conflux, confluence, defluxion, effluvia, influence, superfluity.
- fodio** (*foes*), I dig—fossilize, fossilist, fossiliferous.
- foedus**, a treaty—federal, confederate, confederacy.
- folium**, a leaf—foliage, foliaceous, foliate, foil, trefoil, folio.
- forma**, form, shape—formal, form, -ation, -ative, -ality, -ula, conformity, deformity, inform, information, performance, reform, transformation, uniformity.

fort (*fort*), chance—fortune, fortunate, fortuitous, misfortune, unfortunate.

fortis, strong, brave—fortify, fortitude, force, enforce, fortress, effort, comfort.

frango (*fract*), I break—frangible, fraction, fracture, fragile, fragility, frailty, infringe, refraction, suffrage, irrefragable.

frater, a brother—frater, -nal, -nity, -nize; fratricide; friar.

fraus, deceit—fraud, fraudulent; defraud.

frigus, cold—frigid, frigidity, frigorific, refriger-ate, -ator.

frons (*front*), the forehead—frontier, affront, confront, effrontery, front, frontlet, frontispiece.

fruor (*fruct*), I enjoy—frugal, frugality, fruit, -ful, -ness, -leanness, fruition, fruiterer, fructify.

fugio, I flee—fugitive, fugacious, refuge, subterfuge.

fulgeo, I shine—fulgent, refulgent, effulgence, fulminate.

fumus, smoke—fumigat-e, -ation, -ator, perfume.

fundo (*fus*), I pour out—fuse, fusible, a founder, confound, diffuse, effusion, profusion, suffusion, transfuse.

fundus, field, bottom—found, to founder, foundation, fundamental, profundity; fund, funds, refund.

fungor (*funct*), I perform—function, functional, functionary, perfunctory, defunct.

gelu, frost—gelid, gelatine, congeal, jelly.

gero (*gest*), I carry—gesture, gesticulate, belligerent, congestion, digest, indigestion, register, suggest, vicegerent, jest, -er.

gigno (*gen*), I bring forth or produce—generate, generation, genius, genial, generic, general, genitive, generous, generosity, genuine, gentile, gentry, genteel, indigenous, ingenuous, ingenuity, progenitor, progeny, regenerate.

globus, a ball—globe, globular, globulous, conglobulate.

glacies, ice—glacier, glacial, glacialist.

gluten, glue—gluey, glutinous, agglutinate, conglutinate.

gradior (*gress*), I go—grade, gradation, gradual, graduate, degrade, retrograde; ingress, progress, transgression, congress.

gramen, grass—gramin-aceous, -eous, -ivorous, -ifolious.

grandis, great—grand, grandeur, grandee, grandsire, aggrandize, grandiloquent, grandiose.

granum, a grain of corn—granary, garner, granule, granulate, grange, granate, grenade, grenadier.

- gratus**, thankful—grateful, gratitude, gratuity, gratify, congratulate, grace, gracious, disgrace, greet, ingratiate, ingratitude.
- gravis**, heavy—grave, gravity, gravitate, grief, grieve, grievous, aggrieve, aggravate.
- grex** (*grey*), a flock—gregarious, congregate, aggregate, egregious, segregate.
- gusto**, I taste—gust, disgust, disgustful, disgustingly.
- habeo** (*hib*), I have—habitation, habit, -ual, cohabit, debilitate; exhibit, inhibit, prohibition.
- haereo** (*hes*), I stick—adhere, adhesive, cohesion, coherent, hesitate, inherent, incoherent.
- haeres** (*haered*), an heir—heritage, heritable, hereditary, inherit, -ance, disinherit; heiress, heirloom, co-heir.
- halo**, I breathe—exhale, inhale, inhalation, anhelation.
- haurio** (*hausi*), I draw—exhaust, -ible, -ion, -less, -ive; inexhaustible.
- herba**, an herb—herbage, herbalist, herbaceous, herbivorous.
- hilaris**, cheerful—hilarity, hilarious, exhilaration.
- homo**, a man—human, humane, homage, humanity, humanize, homicide, inhumanity.
- horreo**, I shudder—horror, horrid, horrible, horrify, abhor, abhorrence.
- hortor**, I advise—exhort, exhortation, hortative, hortatory, dehortatory.
- hospes** (*hospit*), a guest—hospitable, hospital, -ity, host, hotel, hostler.
- hostis**, an enemy—host, hostile, hostility, hostage.
- humeo**, I am moist—humid, humidity, humor, humorist, humorous.
- humus**, the ground—inhume, exhume, exhumation, posthumous, humble, humility.
- idem**, the same—identity, identical, identify, identifiable.
- ignis**, fire—igneous, ignite, ignition, ignitable.
- imago**, an image—imagine, imaginary, imagination.
- impero**, I command—imperative, emperor, imperial.
- impetus**, force—impetus, impetuous, -ly, -ness, impetuosity.
- inanis**, empty—inane, inanity, inanition.
- inferus**, below—inferior, inferiority, infernal.
- insula**, an island—insulated, isle, isolate, peninsula.

integer, whole—integral, integrity, disintegrate, redintegration.
ira, anger—ire, ireful, irate, irascible, irritation.

jaceo, I lie—jacent, adjacent, circumjacent.

jacio (*ject*), I throw—jet, jaculation, ejaculate, abject, conjecture, dejection, interjection, objective, reject, subject, subjection.

jocus, a jest—joke, jocose, jocund, jocular, jocularity.

jubilo, I shout for joy—jubilee, jubilate, jubilation.

jugum, a yoke—abjugate, subjugate, subjugation.

jungo (*junct*), I join—junction, juncture, conjunction, conjugal, injunction; join, enjoin, joiner.

juro, I swear—jury, adjure, conjure, perjury.

judex, a judge; **jus** (*jur*), right—just, justice, justify, injury, judge, judicature, judicious, prejudice, judicial, jurisprudence.

juvenis, young—juvenile, juvenility, juniors, juniority, rejuvenescence.

juvo (*jut*), I help—adjutant, coadjutor.

labor, work—labor, laborious, laboratory, elaborate.

labor (*laps*), I slide—lapse, relapse, elapse, illapse, collapse.

laedo (*lid, lis*), I hurt—collide, collision, elide, elision.

lapis (*lapid*), a stone—lapidary, dilapidate, dilapidation.

latus, carried, broad—dilate, latitude, latitudinarian, delay, dilatory, illative, oblate, translation.

latus (*later*), a side—lateral, collateral, equilateral.

laus (*laud*), praise—laud, laudable, applaud, allow, allowable.

laxus, loose—lax, laxity, relax, relaxation, prolix.

lego (*legat*), I send, appoint—legate, legacy, delegate, allegation.

lego (*lect*), I read or choose—legible, lecture, legion, allege, college, diligent, eligible, elegant, election, negligence, selection.

legumen, pulse, pease, beans—leguminous, legumes.

levis, light (*lero, to raise*)—levity, levy, alleviate, elevate, elevator; relieve.

lex (*leg*), a law—legal, legality, legalize, legislator, legitimate, allegiance.

liber, free—liberal, liberty, liberate, illiberal, livery.

liber, a book—library, librarian, libel, libellous.

libra, a balance—deliberate, -ly, -ive, equilibrium, indeliberate.

licet, it is lawful—license, licentiate, licentious, illicit.

lignum, wood—ligneous, lignify, ligniform.

- ligo**, I bind—liable, liability, ligament, league, liege, alliance, oblige, religion.
- limes**, a boundary—limit, limited, illimitable, unlimited.
- linquo** (*lict*), I leave—delinquent, dereliction, relinquish, relict, relic.
- linum**, flax—linen, linsey, lint, line, lineal, delineate, lineament.
- liqueo**, I melt—liquid, liquefy, liquefaction, liquidity, liquor.
- litera**, a letter—literal, literature, alliteration, illiterate, obliterate, letter.
- locus**, a place—local, locality, locate, locomotive, dislocate, allocation.
- longus**, long—longitude, longevity, elongate, prolong.
- loquor**, I speak—loquacity, soliloquy, eloquence, elocution, obloquy, magniloquent, ventriloquist.
- ludo** (*lus*), I play—ludicrous, allusion, elude, illusion, delusion, delusory, prelude.
- lumen**, light—luminary, illuminate, illumination, luminous.
- luna**, the moon—lunar, lunation, lunacy, lunatic, sublunary.
- luo**, I wash—ablution, alluvial, deluge, dilution, pollute.
- lustro**, I shine—lustration, illustrious, illustrate.
- lux** (*luc*), light—lucid, lucifer, elucidate, pellucid.
- luxus**, luxury, excess—luxuriant, luxurious, -ly, -ness.
- macies**, leanness—emaciate, emaciation.
- magnus** (*major*), great—magnify, magnitude, magistrate, master, major, majority, majestic; mayor.
- malus**, bad—malice, malicious, malevolent, malignity.
- malleus**, a hammer—mallet, malleable, maul, unmalleable.
- mando**, I enjoin—mandate, command, demand, remand.
- maneo** (*mans*), I remain—manse, mansion, immanent, permanent, remnant.
- manus**, the hand—manual, manufacture, manumission, manacles, manuscript, emancipate.
- mare**, the sea—marine, mariner, maritime, submarine, mermaid.
- mater**, mother—maternal, maternity, matron, matrimony, matriculate, matricide.
- maturus**, ripe—mature, maturity, immature, premature.
- medeor**, I heal—medical, medicine, remedy, irremediable.
- medius**, the middle—mediate, medium, immediate, mediocrity.
- mel**, honey—mellifluous, melliferous, mellific.
- memini**, I remember; **memor**, mindful—memory, memorial, memorandum, memoir, commemorate, reminiscence.

mens, the mind—mental, mentality, demented, dementia.

mergo (*mers*), I plunge—mersion, emerge, emergency, immersion, submerge.

merx, merchandise—commerce, commercial, merchant, mercantile.

metior (*mens*), I measure—mete, immense, mensuration, dimension, commensurate.

migro, I remove—migrate, emigrate, immigration, transmigration.

miles, a soldier—militia, military, militant, militate.

mineo, I project—imminent, prominent, eminent, eminence.

minister, a servant—ministration, ministry, adminis-ter, -trate, -trator.

minor (*minus*), less—diminish, diminution, comminution, minority, minute.

mirus, wonderful—miracle, admire, admiration, admirable.

miscuo (*mixt*), I mingle—mixture, miscellaneous, unmixed, promiscuous, intermix.

miser, wretched—miser, miserable, misery, commiserate.

mitto (*mis*), I send—mission, missile, admit, commission, dismiss, emissary, manumission, promise, remission.

modus, a manner—moderate, accommodate, commodious, mode, model, modify, modulate, modest.

mons, a mountain—mount, mound, amount, dismount, paramount, tantamount.

mollis, soft—mollify, mollient, emollient.

moneo, I advise—monitor, monument, admonish, premonition.

monstro, I show—monstrous, demonstrate, demonstrable, remonstrate.

mordeo, I bite—mordant, morsel, remorse, remorseless.

mors (*mort*), death—mortal, mortality, immortal, -ize, mortify.

mos (*mor*), a custom—moral, moralize, morality, immoral, demoralize.

moveo (*mol*), I move—remove, commotion, promotion, remote.

multus, many—multitude, multiple, multiplication, multiplied.

munus, a gift or office—munificence, commun-ion, -icate, immunity, remunerative.

murus, a wall—mural, immure.

musa, a song—muse, music, amuse, amusement, museum.

muto, I change—mutable, mutation, mutual, permutation, transmuta.

- narro**, I relate—narration, narrative, narrator.
- nascor** (*nat*), to be born—nascent, native, nation, nature, innate, supernatural.
- navis**, a ship—navy, naval, navig-ate, -ation, -able.
- necto** (*nex*), I tie—connect, annex, annexation, disconnect.
- nervus**, a sinew—nervous, unnerve, enervate.
- neuter**, neither of the two—neutral, -ize, -ity.
- nihil**, nothing—nihilism, nihility, annihil-ate, -ation.
- nobilis**, well-known—noble, nobility, ennoble, ignoble.
- noceo**, I hurt—noxious, noisome, innocent, innocuous, annoyance.
- nomen**, a name—nominate, nominator, denomination, binomial, nomenclature, ignominy.
- norma**, a rule—normal, abnormal, enormous, enormity.
- nosco, cognosco**, I know—cognizance, recognition, knowledge, acknowledge, recognize, precognition.
- notus**, known—note, notable, notorious, annotator.
- novus**, new—novel, novelty, novitiate, innovate, renovate.
- nox** (*noct*), night—equinox, equinoctial, nocturnal.
- nullus**, none—nullify, nullity, annul, disannul.
- numerus**, a number—numerous, numeration, enumerate, innumerable, supernumerary.
- nuncio**, I tell—announce, enunciate, denounce, renounce, pronunciation.
- nutrio**, I nourish—nutriment, nutrition, nutritive, innutritious.
- obscurus**, dark—obscure-e, -ation, obscurely, obscureness, obscurity.
- oculus**, the eye—ocular, oculist, binocular, inoculate.
- odor**, smell—odorous, odoriferous, odorless.
- oleo**, I smell—olfactory, redolent, redolence.
- oleo or olesco**, I grow—adolescence, adult, abolish, abolition, abolitionist.
- omnis**, all—omnipotent, omniscience, omnivorous, omnibus.
- onus** (*oner*), a burden—onerous, onerary, exoner-ate, -ation, -ative.
- opus** (*oper*), a work—oper-ate, -ative, -ation, -ator, co-operate, opera.
- orbis**, a globe—orb, orbit, orbicular, exorbitant.
- ordo**, law—order, disorder, extraordinary, ordain, ordination, subordinate.
- opto**, I wish—option, optional, optative, adopt, adoption.
- orior**, I rise—orient, origin, originate, exordium.
- orno**, I deck—ornament, -al, -ation, adorn, adornment, ornate.

oro, I speak—oracle, oration, oral, oratory, orator, orison, adore, inexorable, peroration.

os (*ossis*), a bone—osseous, ossify, ossific, ossivorous.

ovum, an egg—oval, ovate, ovally, oviparous.

pallium, a cloak, covering—palliate, palliative, palliation.

pando, I spread—expand, expansive, expanse, pace, space, compass, surpass, trespass.

pango (*pact*), I fix or agree—paction, compact, compactness, impinge.

palatum, the roof of the mouth, taste—palate, palatal, palatable, unpalatable.

palus, a peg or post—pale, paling, palisade, empale, empalement.

par, equal—parity, separate, disparity, disparage, peer, peerless.

pareo, I appear—peer, appear, apparition, apparent, transparent.

pario, I bring forth—parent, parental, oviparous, viviparous.

paro, I make ready—preparation, pare, parade, parry, apparel, prepare, repair, reparation.

pars, a part—particle, partake, partition, party, partizan, partial, partner, parboil, parcel, apartment, impart, impartiality.

paseo (*past*), I feed—pastor, pastoral, pasture, antepast, repast.

pater, a father—paternal, paternity, patrimony, patron, patronize, patrician.

patior (*pass*), I suffer—patience, patient, impatient, passive, passionate, compassion.

patria, one's country—patriot, patriotism, compatriot, expatriate.

pax, peace—peace, pacify, pacification.

pello (*puls*), I drive—pulse, pulsation, compel, dispel, expulsion, impulse, repulsion.

pello, I name or call—appellative, compellation, appeal, repeal.

pendeo, I hang—pendant, pendulum, depend, impend, suspense, appendix.

pendo (*pens*), I weigh—pensive, expensive, expenditure, compensation, dispense, recompense, stipend, stipendiary.

penetro, I pierce—penetrate, penetration, impenetrable.

pes (*ped*), the foot—pedal, peder, pedestrian, biped, quadruped, expedite, expedient, impediment.

peto, I seek—petition, petulant, appetite, compete, competitor, impetus, impetuous, repeat, repetition.

pingo (*pict*), I paint—picture, pigment, pictorial, picturesque, depict.

pius, dutiful—piety, impious, impiety.

- placeo**, I please—placid, complacency, complaisant, displease, implacable.
- planta**, a plant—plantation, plantain, implant, supplant, transplant.
- plaudo** (*plaus*), I praise—plaudit, applaud, plausible, applause, explode, explosion.
- pleo** (*plet*), I fill—plenary, plenty, complement, complete, depletion, replenish, supply, supplement.
- plico**, I fold—apply, complicate, complex, display, duplicity, explicate, implicate, perplex, simple, triplet.
- ploro**, I wail—deplore, explore, implore.
- pluma**, a feather—plumage, plume, plumeless, plumule.
- poena**, pain or punishment—pain, penal, penalty, penance, penitentiary, impunity, repent.
- pollo**, I smooth—polish, polite, interpolation.
- pondus** (*ponder*), weight—pound, ponderous, ponder, preponderate, imponderable.
- pono** (*posit*), I place—post, posture, position, apposite, apposition, deposition, dispose, expositor, propose, purpose, repose, transposition.
- populus**, the people—popular, populace, population, depopulate, public, publish, republic.
- porto**, I carry—porter, portable, export, import, importunity, report, transportation.
- potens**, powerful—potent, potentate, potential, -ity, -ly, impotent, omnipotent.
- poto**, I drink—potation, potion, potable.
- praeda**, plunder—prey, predatory, predaceous, depredation, -ator.
- prehendo**, I take—apprehend, comprehension, apprentice, reprehend.
- premo** (*press*), I press—print, pressure, compress, depression, express, oppression, repress, suppression, irrepressible.
- pretium**, a price—precious, appreciate, prize, appraise, depreciation.
- primus**, first—prime, primate, primer, prince, principal, primogeniture.
- privo**, I take away—deprive, privation, privative.
- privus**, one's own or single—private, privacy, privilege.
- probo**, I prove—probe, probation, probable, approbation, improve, disprove, reprobate.

promo (*prompt*), I bring forth, I tell—prompter, prompt, promptly, promptitude, impromptu.

prope (*prox*), near—propinquity, propitiate, proximate, approximate, approach.

proprius, one's own—proper, property, appropriate, propriety, impropriety.

pudor, shame—impudent, impudence, repudiate.

pugno, I fight—pugnacious, pugilist, impugn, repugnance.

pulmo, a lung—pulmonary, pulmonic.

pulvis (*pulver*), dust—pulverize, pulverable, pulverization.

pungo (*punct*), I prick—pungent, puncture, punctuation, punctilious, punctuality, compunction, expunge, *punct*, appoint.

purgo, I cleanse—purge, purgative, purgatory, purgatorial.

purus, clean—purify, purity, puritan, impure, impurity.

pus (*pur*), matter of a sore—pustule, pustulate, purulent, suppurate.

puto, I reckon, I prune—putative, compute, dispute, deputy, imputation, repute, amputate.

putris, rotten—putridly, putrefaction, putrid, putridity, putrescence.

qualis, of what kind—qualify, quality, disqualify.

quantum, how much—quantity, quantitative.

quaero (*quis, quae*), I seek—quest, question, acquire, disquisition, inquire, request, requisition, perquisite.

quatio, I shake—quash, concussion, discuss, percussion.

quatuor, four—quart, quarter, quatern, quadruped, quadrant.

quies, rest—quiet, quiescence, inquietude, disquietude, acquiesce.

quot, how many—quote, quotient, quotation, quotidian.

radius, a ray—radiant, radiation, irradiate, radius.

radix, a root—radicle, radical, radish, eradicate.

rado (*ras*), I scrape—raze, razor, erase, abrasion, rasure.

ramus, a branch—ramify, ramification.

rapio, I carry off—rapacious, rapid, rapine, rapture, surreptitious.

rarus, thin—rarefy, rarefaction, rare.

rego (*rect*), I rule—regal, regent, regimen, regular, register, rector, reign, direct, rectify.

repo, I creep—reptile, reptilian.

res, a thing—real, realize, republic.

rideo (*ris*), I laugh—ridicule, ridiculous, risible, deride, derision.

rigeo, I am stiff—rigidity, rigor, rigorously.

rivus, a stream—river, rivulet, rival, rivalry, arrive, derive, derivation.

rodo (*ron*), I gnaw—corrode, corrosion, corrosive, erosion.

rota, a wheel—rote, rotate, rotary; rotund, routine.

rudis, rude, ignorant—rudiment, erudite, erudition.

rus (*rur*), the country—rural, rustic, rusticity, rusticate.

rumpo (*rupt*), I break—rupture, abrupt, bankrupt, corruption, interrupt, irruption.

sacer, sacred—sacrament, sacrifice, consecrate, execrable, sacrilege.

sagax, wise—sage, sagacious, sagacity, presage.

sal, salt—saline, saltish, sauce, saucy.

salio (*sult*), I leap—salient, saltation, assault, sally, desultory, exaltation, insult, result, resilient.

salus (*salut*), health—salute, salutary, salubrious, salvage, salve, salvation.

sancio (*sanct*), I confirm—sanction, sanctify, sanctity, sanctuary, saint.

sanguis (*sanguin*), blood—sanguine, sanguinary, sanguineous, ensanguine.

sapio, taste, I am wise—sapient, savor, sapid, insipid, insipidity.

satis, enough—satisfy, satisfaction, sate, satiate, insatiable.

scando, I climb—scan, ascend, ascension, condescension, descend, transcend.

scindo (*sciss*), I cut—scissors, scissure, abscission, rescind, rescension.

scio, I know—science, scientific, sciolist, conscience, omniscience, prescience.

scribo (*script*), I write—scribe, scripture, scribble, description, inscribe, manuscript, superscription.

sculpo, I carve—sculptor, sculpture, sculptured.

seco (*sect*), I cut—sect, section, dissect, insect, intersection, trisect.

sedeo (*seas*), I sit—seat, sedate, sedentary, session, assiduous, preside, possess, supersede.

semen, seed—seminal, seminary, disseminate.

senex, old—senile, senator, senior, seniority, seignior.

sentio (*sens*), I feel, I think—sense, sensuous, sensitive, sensible, sentient, sentiment, sentence, assent, dissension.

sequor (*secut*), I follow—second, sequence, execute, subsequent, prosecute, obsequies, subsequent.

sero (*sert*), I knit or join—series, assert, insertion, desertion, exert.

serpo, I creep—serpent, serpentine, serpentine.

servo, I keep or wait—serve, servant, servile, servitude, conserve, observe, preservation, subservience.

severus, strict—severe, severity, persevere, asseveration.

signum, a mark—sign, signify, assign, consignment, designate, resignation, insignificant.

sillex, flint—silicious, silicate, silicify.

similis, like—similar, similarity, similitude, assimilate, resemble, dissimulation, simulation.

sinus, a curve or bay—insinuate, sinuosity.

socius, a companion—social, sociable, society, association, dissociate.

sol, the sun—solar, parasol, solarize.

solidus, solid—solidity, solidify, solder, consolidate.

solvo, I loose—solvency, solve, solution, soluble, absolve, absolute, revolution.

solus, alone—sole, solitude, solitary, desolate, soliloquy.

sono, I sound—sonnet, sonorous, consonant, dissonance, resound, unison.

sorbeo, I suck in—absorbent, absorb, -ing, absorption, reabsorb.

sors (*sort*), a lot—sort, assort, consort, resort, sorcery.

spargo (*spers*), I scatter—aspers, aspersion, disperse, intersperse.

spatium, space—spacious, expatiate, spaciousness.

specio, specto, I look—special, specious, specimen, spectacle, spectator, aspect, conspicuous, expect, prospect, suspicion.

spero, I hope—desperate, despair, prosper, prosperity.

spiro, I breathe—spirit, spiritual, sprite, aspirant, conspire, dispirit, expiration, uninspired.

splendeo, I shine—splendid, splendor, resplendent.

spondeo (*spons*), I promise—sponsor, spouse, correspondence, irresponsible, respond.

sponte, of one's own will—spontaneous, -ly, -ness, spontaneity.

statuo, I set up, I appoint—statue, statute, constitute, institute, institution, substitute.

stella, a star—stellar, constellation, stellated, stellar.

stilla, a drop—still, distil, instil, distillation.

stinguo (*stinct*), I put out—distinguish, distinct, extinguish, extinct, instinctive.

sto (*stare, stit*), I stand—stable, establish, state, station, stationary, constant, distant, instantaneous, obstacle, rest, solstice, substantive, substitute.

stratus, thrown down—strata, prostrate, stratify, stratification.

stringo (*strict*), I hold fast—stringent, astringent, strict, stricture, strain, straitness, restrict, restrain, distraint, distress, unrestricted.

struo (*struct*), I build—destroy, destructive, instruct, instrument, superstructure.

stupeo, I am stunned, amazed—stupid, -ly, -ity, stupendous.

sumo (*sumpt*), I take,—assume, consumption, presume, resume, sumptuary, sumptuous.

surgo (*surrect*), I rise—insurgent, insurrection, resurrection.

tango (*tact*), I touch—tangent, tangible, tactility, contact, contagion, contiguous, contingent.

tego (*tect*), I cover—tegument, protect, detection, protectorate.

temno (*tempt*), I despise—contemn, contemptible, contemptuous.

tempus, time—temporal, contemporary, extemporaneous.

tendo (*tens*), I stretch—tendency, attend, extension, intention, ostentation, pretence, subtend.

teneo (*ten*), I hold—tenable, tenant, tenet, contain, detention, abstinence, continuance, impertinent, maintain, obtain, sustenance.

tenuis, thin—tenuity, attenuate, extenuate.

terminus, a bound—term, terminate, determine, extermination, interminable.

tero (*triv*), I rub—trite, triturate, tret, attrition, contrite, detriment.

terra, the earth—terrestrial, terraqueous, terrace, inter, subterraneous.

terreo, I frighten—terrible, deter, deterrent, terror.

testis, a witness—test, testify, testament, attest, detest, intestate, protestation.

texo, I wear—textile, texture, context, pretext, tissue.

timeo, I fear—timorous, timidity, timidly.

tolero, I bear—tolerant, tolerable, intolerant, toleration.

torpeo, I am benumbed—torpid, torpidity, torpidly.

torqueo (*tort*), I twist—torture, tortuous, torment, contortion, distort, extortion, retort.

torreo, I parch—torrid, toast, torrefy, torrent.

totus, the whole—total, totality, totally.

traho (*tract*), I draw—trace, tractable, tractile, attract, abstract, distraction, extraction, portray, retract, protract.

tremo, I shake, tremble—tremendous, tremble, tremulous.

trepidus, fearful—trepidation, intrepid, intrepidity.

- tres**, three—*trio*, tripod, triangle, trinity, trice.
tribuo, I give—attribute, distribution, retributive.
trices, wiles—tricks, trickery, intricate, extricate, inextricable, intrigue, tress.
trudo (*trus*), I thrust—intrude, intrusion, extrude, protrusion.
tuber, a swelling—tubercle, tubercular, tuberosc.
tueor, I observe—tutor, tuition, intuitive, tutelary.
turba, a crowd—turbulent, disturb, imperturbable, perturbation, turbid.

uber, fruitful—exuberant, exuberance.
umbra, a shade—umbrageous, umbrella, adumbrate, penumbra.
unda, a wave—undulate, undulation, redundant, inundate, abound, abundant.
unguo (*unct*), I anoint—unguent, unction, unctuous.
unus, one—uniform, unicorn, unilateral, unique.
urbs, a city—urban, urbanity, suburba, suburban.
uro (*ust*), I burn—inure, combustion, incombustible.
utor (*us*), I use—utility, utilitarian, utensil, useful, usefulness, usury, abuse, disuse.

vaco, I am empty—vacant, vacancy, vacation, vacate.
vacuus, empty—evacuate, evacuation, vacuum.
vado, I go—evade, evasion, invade, pervade.
vagor, I wander—vagrant, vagabond, vagary, extravagance.
valeo, I am strong, I am worth—value, valor, valid, valiant, avail, valetudinarian, convalescence, invalid, prevalent.
vanus, empty—vanish, vanity, vain, vainly.
vapor, steam—vapory, evaporate, vapid, vapidness.
vario, I change—variable, various, variance, variety, variegate.
vas, a dish—vase, vascular, vessel.
vasto, I lay waste—vast, vastness, devastation, waste, wasteful.
veho, I carry—vehicle, convey, inveigh, invective.
vello (*vuls*), I pull—convulsion, revulsion.
velo, I cover—veil, revelation, reveal, unveil.
velox, swift—velocity, velocimeter, velocipede.
vendo, I sell—vend, vendor, vendible, vendue, venal.
ventus, the wind—vent, ventilate, ventilation, -ator.
venio (*vent*), I come—convene, contravene, advent, convention, invention, revenue.

- verbum**, a word—verbal, verbose, adverb, proverbial.
verto (*vers*), I turn—verse, version, vertex, advert, aversion, adversity, perversion, universe.
verus, true—verity, veracious, verify, verdict, aver.
vestigium, a trace or mark—vestige, investigate.
vestis, a garment—vest, vestment, vestry, divest, investment.
via, a way—deviate, devious, impervious, previous, trivial, undeviating, viaduct.
vicis, a change—vicar, vicarage, vicarious, vicegerent, vicissitude.
video (*vis*), I see—vision, visible, visit, evident, providence, revise, supervision.
vigeo, I flourish—vegetable, vegetate, vegetation, vigor, vigorous, invigorate, vigil, vigilant.
villa, a farm—village, villain, villainy, villanage.
vinco (*vict*), I conquer—victor, convince, evince, province, vanquish, invincible.
vinum, wine—vinous, vintage, vinegar, vineyard, wine.
vir, a man—virile, virility, virtue, virago, triumvirate.
virus, poison—virulent, virulence.
viscus, glue—viscid, viscosity, viscous.
vita, life—vital, vitality, vitalize.
vitrum, glass—vitreous, vitrefy, vitrefaction, vitriol.
vivo, I live—vivid, vivacious, vivify, revive, convivial.
voco, I call—voice, vocal, vocation, vociferate, advocate, invocation, convoke, revoke.
volo, I am willing—voluntary, volition, benevolence, volunteer.
volo, I fly—volatile—volatility, volatilize.
volvo, I roll—volume, voluble, convolve, develop, revolution, revolt.
voro, I devour—voracious, devour, carnivorous, omnivorous.
voceo, I vow—vote, votary, votive, devote, devotion.
vulgus, the common people—vulgar, -ity, divulge, promulgate.
vulnus (*vulner*), a wound—vulnerable, vulnerary, invulnerable.

GREEK ROOTS *

- aër**, the air—aerial, aerolite, aeronaut, artery, arterial, airy, airiness.
agō, I lead—demagogue, synagogue, pedagogue, stratagem, strategy.
agōn, strife—agony, antagonist, antagonism, agonize.

* The Greek letters are expressed by their English equivalent.

akouô, I hear—acoustic, acoustics, acoumeter.

angelos, a messenger—angelic, angel, archangel, evangel, -ize, -ist, -ism, -ical.

anthrôpos, a man—anthropology, philanthropy, misanthropy.

archê, beginning, sovereignty—archaism, archives, archon, anarchy, monarchy, oligarchy, patriarch, tetrarch.

astêr or **astron**, a star—astronomy, astronomical, astrology; aster, asterisk; astral, disaster, disastrous.

athlêtes, a wrestler—athlete, athletic.

atmos, vapor—atmosphere, atmospherical.

autos, one's self—autocrat, autograph, automaton, autonomy, autobiography, tautology.

ballô, I throw—ball, ballet, emblem, hyperbole, parable, problem, symbol, diabolical.

baptizo, I dip or sprinkle—baptist, baptism, baptismal, anabaptist, pædobaptist.

basis, the bottom—basement, baseless, abase, debase, abashed, bashful.

biblos, a book—bible, bibliography, bibliopolist, bibliomania.

bios a, life—biography, biology, amphibious.

character, a mark of distinction—character, characterize, characteristic.

charis, love, or thanks—charity, charitable, eucharist, eucharistic.

cheir, the hand—chirography, chiology, chiromancy, enchiridion, surgeon (whence surgeon).

cholê, bile, anger—melancholy, choler, choleric.

christos, anointed—Christ, chrism, christen, Christianity, Christ-mas, antichrist.

chrôma, color—chrome, chromatics, achromatics.

chronos, time—chronic, chronicle, chronology, chronometer, anachronism, synchronous, synchronize, synchronism.

cosmos, order, the world—cosmical, cosmogony, cosmopolite, microcosm, cosmetic.

crânion, a skull—cranium, craniology, pericranium.

eratos, power—democratic, aristocracy, autocratic, theocracy.

critês, a judge—critic, criticism, crisis, diacritical, hypocrisy.

cryptô, I hide—crypt, cryptography, apocrypha.

euclos, a circle—cycle, encyclical, epicycle, encyclopædia, encyclopedist, cyclops.

daimon, a spirit—demon, demoniac, demonism, demonology, pandemonium.

deka, ten—decade, decalogue, indecagon, dean.

dêmos, the people—demagogue, democracy, endemic, epidemic, pandemic.

despotes, a master—despotic, despotism.

dogma, **doxa**, opinion, glory—dogma, dogmatic, dogmatize, dogmatism, doxology, orthodox, heterodox, paradoxical.

dictos, given—antidote, anecdote, anecdotal.

dynamis, power—dynamics, dynameter, dynasty, dynastic.

eidōs, form—asteroid, conoid, spheroid, kaleidoscope.

electron, amber—electrical, electricity, electrify; electro-dynamics.

ergon, work—energy, liturgy, metallurgy, georgic, organization.

ethnos, a nation—ethnical, ethnology, ethnographer.

ethos, custom—ethics, ethical.

eû, well—euchologion, euphony, euphemism, eulogy, eucharist, evangelist.

gamos, marriage—agamist, bigamy, misagamist, polygamy.

gê, the earth—geocentric, geography, geology, geometry, apogee, perigee.

gennaô, I produce—genesis, genealogy, homogeneous, oxygen, hydrogen, nitrogen.

gnoskô, I know—gnomon, gnosticism, diagnostic, physiognomy, prognostic.

glôssa or **glôtta**, the tongue—gloss, glossary, glossarial, glottis, epiglottis, polyglot.

gônia, an angle—pentagon, heptagon, polygon, diagonal, trigonometry.

gramma, a letter—grammar, anagram, diagram, epigram, programme, telegram.

graphô, I write—graphic, grave, autograph, epigraph, biography, geography, paragraph, telegraph, topography, etc.

gumnos, naked—gymnast, gymnastics, gymnasium.

gunê, a woman—gynocracy, misogynist, misogyny.

hedra, a seat—cathedral, sanhedrim, polyhedron, etc.

hēlios, the sun—heliocentric, helioscope, heliotrope, aphelion, perihelion, parhelion.

hēmera, a day—ephemera, ephemeral, ephemeris.

heteros, the other—heteroclit, heterodox, heterogeneous.

heilros, sacred—hierachy, hieroglyphic, hierography, hierophant.

histēmi, to place—apostate, ecstasy, statics, statistic, system, systematize.

hodos, a way—episode, exodus, method, -ist, -ical, period, -ical, synod.

homos, like—homogeneous, homologous, homonymous.

hudōr, water—hydraulics, hydrogen, hydrophobia, *hydrostatics, anhydrous.

humneō, I sing—hymn, hymnal, hymnology.

idios, idiom—idiot, idiocy, idiosyncrasy.

isos, equal (in composition)—isochronous, isosceles, isothermal.

lambano (*leps*), I take—syllable, catalepsy, epilepsy.

laos, the people—laity, laic, lay, as opposed to clerical.

legō, I speak or collect—lexicon, dialect, eclectic, elegy, prolegomena.

lithos, a stone—aerolite, lithography, lithotomy, monolith.

logos, a word—logic, analogy, apologue, catalogue, decalogue, dialogue, entomology, geology, neology, theology, zoology, etc.

luo, I loose—analyze, analysis, palsy, paralytic.

lyra, a lyre—lyric, lyrical, lyrist, lyriated.

machē, a fight—logomachy, monomachy, naumachy, sciomachy.

mania, madness—mania, monomania, bibliomania.

martyr, a witness—martyr, martyrdom, martyrology, protomartyr.

manthano (*math*), learn—philomath, polymathy, mathematics, -tical.

mēchanē, a machine—mechanic, mechanics, mechanism, machine-tion, machinist.

melos, a song—melody, melodious, melodrama; Philomel.

mētron, a measure—metre, metrical, barometer, diameter, geometry, perimeter, symmetry, thermometer, trigonometry.

micros, small—microscopic, microcosm, micrographic, micrology.

miseo, I hate—misanthropist, misogynist, misogamist.

mnēma, memory—mnemonics, mnemotechny, amnesty.

monos, one—monad, monarch, monarchy, monk, monastic, monopoly, monotheism, monotony.

morphê, shape—amorphous, metamorphose, polymorphous.

muthos, a fable—myth, mythical, mythology.

naus, a ship—nautical, nautilus, aeronaut, nausea, nauseous, nauseate.

necros, dead—necropolis, necromancy.

nomos, a law, or rule—anomaly, antinomian, astronomy, economy.

neuron, a nerve—neuralgia, neurology, aneurism.

ôdê, a song—ode, epode, monody, parody, psalmody; comedy, tragedy.

oikos, a house—economy, diocese, parochial, parish.

onoma, a name—anonymous, metonymy, paronymous, patronymic, synonymous.

opticos, belonging to seeing—optics, optical, optician, catoptrics, dioptrics, myopy, synopsia.

orama, a view—cosmorama, diorama, panorama.

orthos, right—orthodox, orthoepy, orthography.

osteon, a bone—osteology, periosteum.

oxus, sharp, acid—oxide, oxygen, oxytone, paroxysm.

pais, a child—pedagogue, pedagogy, paedobaptism.

pan, all (in composition)—panacea, pandemic, panoply, pantheism.

pathos, feeling—pathetic, pathology, antipathy, apathy, sympathy.

petalon, a leaf—petals, bipetalous, polypetalous, etc.

petros, a stone—petrify, putrescent, petroleum.

phago, I eat—anthropophagi, ichthyophagi, sarcophagus.

phainô, I appear—phasis, phantom, phenomenon, fantasy, sycophant.

phêmi (*phas*), I speak—blaspheme, blasphemy, emphasis, euphemism, prophet.

pherô, I bear—periphery, metaphor, phosphorus.

philos, a friend—philanthropy, philosopher, philter; Theophilus.

phônê, a sound—phonetic, aphony, euphonious, symphony, tautophony.

phos, light—phosphor, phosphorus, photography, photometer.

phrâsis, a phrase—phraseology, paraphrase, periphrase.

phrên, the mind—phrenology, frenzy, frantic, frenetic.

phûsis, nature—physic, physiology, physiognomy, metaphysics.

plassô, I form—plastic, plasm, plaster, cataplastm, protoplastic.

pneuma, the wind, a breath—pneumatics, pneumatology, pneumonia, pneumonic.

poieô, I make—poem, poet, poetical, poesy.

pôleo, I sell—bibliopolist, monopoly, pharmacopolist.

pôlis, a city—police, policy, politic, polity, metropolis, political, cosmopolite, necropolis.

polus, many—polygon, polyglot, polysyllable.

pous (*pod*), a foot—antipodes, polypus, tripod.

prôtos, first—protasis, protocol, prototype, protoplast.

psallô, to play—psalm, psalmody, psalmist, psalter, psaltery.

psuchê, breath, soul—psychology, metempsychosis, psychomachy.

pur, fire—pyre, pyramid, pyrotechny, pyrometer, empyreal.

rheô, I flow—rheum, rheumatism, rhetoric, catarrh, diarrhoea, resin.

sarx, flesh—sarcasm, sarcophagy, sarotic, anasarca.

scopéo, I see—scope, helioscope, polyscope, telescope, bishop, episcopacy, microscope, horoscope, kaleidoscope.

sophos, wise—sophism, sophistry, sophisticate, philosophy.

sphaira, a sphere—sphericity, atmosphere, hemisphere.

stereos, solid, firm—stereotype, stereoscope.

stechos, a line, a verse—distich, hemistich, decastich, acrostic.

stellô, I send—apostle, epistle.

strophê, a turning—apostrophe, catastrophe, antistrophe.

tassô, I arrange—tact, tactics, syntax.

taphos, a tomb—epitaph, cenotaph.

technê, art—technical, technology, polytechnic, pyrotechnist.

telê, afar off—telegraph, telescope, teleology, telegram.

theos, God—theism, theology, atheist, pantheon, theocracy.

thermos, hot—thermometer, thermal, isothermal.

tithêmi, I place—theme—thesis, antithesis, epithet, synthesis.

tomê, a cutting—atom, atomic, anatomy, entomology, epitome, lithotomy, phlebotomy.

tonos, a sound—tone, tonic, semitone, oxytone, detonate, intonation, monotony.

tôpos, a place—topic, topical, topography, utopian.

toxicon, poison—intoxicate, intoxication.

tropos, a turn—trope, tropical, heliotrope.

tupos, a pattern or figure—type, typical, typify, typography, anti-type, stereotype.

zoon, an animal—zodiac, zoology, zoography, zootomist; azote.

B. PREFIXES

Exercises on the primary and secondary meanings of derivatives formed by Prefixes.

NOTE.—The pupils should be required to write similar examples under each of the prefixes.

ANGLO-SAXON PREFIXES (*arranged alphabetically*).

PREFIX	MEANING	DERIVATIVES	LITERAL MEANING	SECONDARY MEANING
a	at or on	aground	on ground	stranded—stopped
		ahead	at the head	forward—further on
be	to make	beguile	to use guile	to amuse—to deceive
	about	beset	to set about	to enclose
en	by or in	below	in a lower place	inferior in rank
	to make	ennoble	to make noble	to elevate—to exalt
for	in or into	embalm	to put in balsam	to preserve
		forsake	not to seek	to leave—to abandon
fore	before	forerunner	one who runs before	a herald—messenger
mis	ill or wrong	mislay	to lay in a wrong place	to lose
out	above or beyond	outpost	a place beyond the camp	a picket or guard

PREFIX	MEANING	DERIVATIVES	LITERAL MEANING	SECONDARY MEANING
over	<i>above, too much</i>	{ overshadow	to place a shadow over	to shield—to protect
un	<i>not</i>	{ unmanly	not manly	cowardly—meanly, or clandestine
under	<i>beneath</i>	{ underhand	beneath the hand	to hinder, or prevent
with	<i>from</i>	{ withhold	to hold from	

CLASSIC PREFIXES (*arranged alphabetically*).

LATIN PREFIX	MEANING	DERIVATIVES	LITERAL MEANING	SECONDARY MEANING
a, ab, abs	<i>or from</i>	{ absolve abjure	to loose from to swear away from	to pardon to abandon
ad, ac, af, al, an, ap, or ar	<i>to</i>	{ advance affiance apply	to move to the van to give faith to to fold to	to promote—to improve to promise in marriage to use—to ask
ante	<i>before</i>	{ ante-chamber	a chamber before the chief	a waiting room
circum	<i>around</i>	{ circumvent	to come round another	to cheat
con, co, col, com, or cor	<i>together</i>	{ concourse connive coincide	a running together to wink together to fall in together	a multitude to overlook a fault to agree
contra, counter	<i>against</i>	{ contraband counteract counterfeit	against the proclamation to act against to make against	smuggled to hinder to imitate—to feign

LATIN PREFIX	MEANING	DERIVATIVES	LITERAL MEANING	SECONDARY MEANING
de	<i>down or from</i>	{ decide deviate	to cut down to go from the way	to end—to settle to err—to stray
dis or di	<i>apart</i>	{ disturb dilapidation	to put a crowd asunder stones falling apart	to stir—to agi- tate ruin—decay
e, ex or ec	<i>out of</i>	{ expedite eccentric educate	to take the feet out out of the centre to lead out	to hasten or quicken odd—peculiar to train—to in- struct
extra	<i>beyond</i>	{ extravagant	wandering be- yond	wasteful—wild
in, im, il or ir	<i>in, on, or into</i>	{ indorse inspect impede	to write on the back to look into to put the feet in	to sign—to agree to examine to hinder
inter	<i>between</i>	{ intercourse	to run between	fellowship— communication
intro	<i>within</i>	{ introduce	to lead within	to make ac- quainted
ob, oc, of, op, etc.	<i>against or in way of</i>	{ object occur offer	to throw against to run in way of to put in way of	to find fault to happen—to appear to present—to give
per	<i>through</i>	{ perish perennial	to go through through the year	to die—to wither lasting—per- petual
post	<i>after</i>	postpone	to place after	delay
pre	<i>before</i>	premature	before ripe	too soon, or hasty
pro	<i>forth or forward</i>	{ project	something thrown for- ward	a plan, or scheme
re	<i>back or again</i>	{ redeem reform	to buy back to form again	to save to improve—to amend
retro	<i>backwards</i>	retrograde	to step backward	to become worse

LATIN PREFIX	MEANING	DERIVATIVES	LITERAL MEANING	SECONDARY MEANING
se	aside or from	{ secede seduce	to go aside to lead from	to leave to corrupt—to deprave
sine	without	{ sinecure	without care	an office without service
sub, sub, suf or under sup		{ submit succor superfluous	to send under to run under flowing over	to yield—to re- fuge to help—to aid abundant— needless
super or above or sur		{ superlative survive translate	carried over to live over to bear across	highest—best to remain to interpret—to express in the words of an- other language
trans, tra, traf or tres	across or beyond	{ traduce traffic trespass transcend	to lead across to make across to pass across to climb beyond	to slander to trade to sin to excel
ultra	beyond	{ ultramontane	beyond the mountain	foreign
a or an	without	{ apathy anarchy amphitheatre	without feeling without rule theatre on both sides	coldness confusion ground sloping upwards all round
amphi or ambi	both sides or two	{ ambiguous	driving two ways	doubtful—un- certain
ana	up, back or through	{ anathema analyze	placed up to loose back	devoted—a curse to solve—to ex- amine thor- oughly
anti or ant	against or opposite to	{ antidote antarctic apologize	give against opposite to arctic to reason away from	a cure for poison —a remedy
apo or aph	from	{ aphelion	from the sun	to defend

GREEK PREFIX	MEANING	DERIVATIVES	LITERAL MEANING	SECONDARY MEANING
cata	<i>down</i>	{ catechise	to sound down, or in the ear	to teach - to question
dia	<i>through</i>	{ diarrhoea	a flowing through	name of a dis- ease
en or em	<i>in</i>	{ energy empiric	inward power one skilled in practice alone	force—spirit a quack, or pre- tender
epi or eph	<i>for or upon</i>	{ epitome	a cutting upon, as a book	an abridgment
ec or ex	<i>out</i>	{ ephemeral	for a day	brief, or short
hyper	<i>beyond</i>	{ exegesis	a leading out	an explanation
hypo	<i>under</i>	{ hyperborean	beyond the north	cold, frigid
meta or meth	<i>after</i>	{ hypocrite	one under a mask	a feigner—dis- sembler
		{ metaphysics	after physics	mental science
		{ method	after a way	order
		{ parable	thrown side by side	a comparison
para	<i>side by side</i>	{ paradigm	something shown side by side	a model, or ex- ample
		{ parasite	one near for food	a flatterer
peri	<i>round</i>	{ period	the way round	stated time, or end
		{ peripatetics	followers of Aristotle, who taught walk- ing about	
syn, syl together, or sym with		{ synod	a going to- gether	an ecclesiastical assembly
		{ syllable	a taking to- gether	a distinct utter- ance
		{ symphony	a sounding to- gether	agreement

The prefixes, **meta** and **para**, have different shades of meaning.

C. AFFIXES (sometimes called *postfixes* or *suffixes*).

Affixes are letters or syllables placed at the end of a word to modify its meaning.

The affixes usually determine the part of speech to which the words they form belong, and therefore may be arranged according to the classes of words formed by their aid.

Some terminations have several meanings, and are used in forming different parts of speech—*as*, *ate*, in *captivate* and *potentate*; *ish*, in *burnish* and *blackish*; *en*, in *weaken* and *wooden*.

The same word is often used for the act and the product; the state and the quality; the place where and the practice of some art in it—*as*, *formation*, *animate*, *surgery*.

AFFIXES WHICH FORM NOUNS

1. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE THE *person who ACTS*, OR WHO IS.

Anglo-Saxon—*ar*, *and*, *er*, *yer*, *ater*. *Classic*—*an*, *ant*, *ary*, *ate*, *ee*, *eer*, *ent*, *ic*, *ist*, *ite*, *ive*, *or*.

Examples

Liar, one who tells lies.

Coward, one who is afraid.

Antiquary, one who studies old things.

Patentee, one to whom a patent is granted.

Oculist, one who professes to cure the eye.

Vagrant, one who wanders.

Favorite, one who is favored.

Captive, one who is taken in war.

Mountaineer, one who lives among the mountains.

Gamester, one who gambles.

The pupil should be required to explain the following list of words, under each class, in a similar manner :

ar	beggar, bursar, scholar, vicar.
ard	dotard, drunkard, sluggard, steward, wizard.
er	brazier, butler, draper, mariner, talker, walker.
yer	lawyer, sawyer.
ster	barrister, chorister, maltster, punster, spinster.
an	Christian, European, Canadian, librarian, veteran.

ant	assailant, combatant, mendicant, lieutenant, litigant.
ary	contemporary, incendiary, lapidary, voluptuary.
ate	advocate, curate, delegate, legate, potentate.
ee	assignee, employee, legatee, referee, refugee.
eer	auctioneer, charioteer, mutineer, pioneer, scrutineer.
ent	adherent, client, patient, president, regent, student.
ic	critic, domestic, dialectic, mechanic, sceptic.
ist	botanist, linguist, monopolist, naturalist.
ite	hedlamite, cosmopolite, eremite, Canaanite.
ive	fugitive, native, operative, representative.
or	ancestor, benefactor, competitor, malefactor.

2. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE THE *thing which* IS, OR IS DONE.

Classic—ary, ice, ment, mony, ory.

Examples

Boundary, that which bounds.	Aliment, that which nourishes.
Testimony, that which is testified.	Territory, the land which belongs to any one.

ary	anniversary, corollary, luminary, preliminary.
ice	advice, device, justice, notice, practice, service.
ment	advertisement, amendment, amusement, document.
mony	alimony, patrimony, sanctimony.
ory	auditory, directory, memory, promontory.

3. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE THE *place where* A THING IS, OR IS DONE.

ry, ery, ary, ory.

Examples

Vestry, a place where vestments are kept.	Fishery, a place where fish are caught.
Aviary, a place where birds are kept.	Armory, a place where arms are kept.
ry	foundry, laundry, drapery.
ery	cemetery, colliery, nunnery, nursery, surgery.
ary	apiary, granary, dispensary, library.
ory	dormitory, factory, observatory, oratory.

4. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE *rank, office or dominion.**Anglo-Saxon*—dom, ric, ship. *Classic*—acy, ate.*Examples*

Dukedom, the rank of a duke. Bishopric, the jurisdiction of a
 Curacy, the office of a curate. bishop.
 Kingdom, the dominion of a king.

dom and ric Christendom, heathendom, earldom, archbishopric.
ship clerkship, mastership, professorship.
acy, cy abbacy, captaincy, magistracy, papacy.
ate electorate, protectorate, pontificate.

5. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE *persons or things* COLLECTIVELY.

age, ry.

Examples

Assemblage, a collection of per- Foliage, the leaves of a tree or
 sons. forest.

age coinage, cordage, leakage, plumage.
ry finery, gentry, machinery, peasantry.

6. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE THE *act of doing, or the thing done.*

age, ion, ment, ure.

Examples

Pillage, the act of plundering, or Sepulture, the act of burying, or
 theft. burial.

Operation, the act of working, or Entertainment, the act of treat-
 the process. ing guests, or a feast.

age carriage, marriage, passage, postage.
ion admission, dissection, inspection, passion.
ment atonement, commencement, elopement, interment.
ure creature, capture, disclosure, departure, imposture.

7. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE *state, condition, quality.*

Anglo-Saxon—dom, hood, ness, ry, ship, th. *Classic*—acy, age, ~~ance~~,
 ancy, ence, ency, ism, ment, mony, tude, ty or ity, ure.

Examples

Widowhood, the state of being a widow.	Activity, state of being active.
Partnership, state of being a partner.	Vassalage, condition of a vassal.
	Diligence, quality of being diligent.

Holiness, state of being holy.

dom	freedom, thralldom, martyrdom, wisdom.
hood	boyhood, girlhood, likelihood, priesthood, manhood.
ness	blessedness, deafness, darkness, gentleness, weakness.
ry	bravery, gallantry, pedantry, rivalry, slavery.
ship	apprenticeship, friendship, hardship, suretyship.
th	death, truth, mirth, strength, youth.
acy	accuracy, degeneracy, legitimacy, supremacy.
age	bondage, dotage, marriage, peerage, pilgrimage.
ance, ancy	abundance, brilliancy, repentance, pliancy.
ence, ency	patience, effulgence, clemency, potency.
ism	barbarism, parallelism, schism, truism.
ment	agreement, banishment, enjoyment, punishment.
mony	acrimony, matrimony, parsimony.
tude	altitude, aptitude, gratitude, servitude, solitude.
ty or ity	brevity, captivity, docility, felicity, poverty.
ure	composure, pleasure, rupture, torture, verdure.

8. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE *art, science, practice, OR doctrines.*

Anglo-Saxon—ry. *Classic*—ics, ism, ure.

Examples

Cookery, the art of cooking.	Calvinism, the doctrines of Calvin.
Optics, the science of seeing.	Sculpture, the art of carving.
ry	bribery, carpentry, chemistry, roguery, treachery.
les	ethics, mathematics, physics, politics, tactics.
ism	criticism, despotism, patriotism, gnosticism, polytheism.
ure	agriculture, architecture, manufacture.

9. AFFIXES WHICH DENOTE *diminution, OR little.*

Anglo-Saxon—et or le, kin, let or et, ling, ook, y or ie.

Classic—ule, eule, or ule.

Examples

Leaflet, a little leaf.	Canticle, a little song.
Goosling, a little goose.	Reticule, a little net.
Paddock, a little park.	Granule, a little grain.

el, le	satchel, kestrel, sickle.
kin, en	lambkin, mannikin, kitten, chicken.
let, et	coronet, floweret, turret, eaglet, bracelet, rivulet.
ling	darling, duckling, foundling, stripling, seedling.
ock	bullock, hillock.
y or ie	Tommy, Willie, Jamie, lassie, baby.
cle, cule	conventicle, icicle, animalcule.
ule	globule, spherule.

AFFIXES WHICH FORM ADJECTIVES

I. AFFIXES DENOTING *of, like, or pertaining to.*

ac, al, an, ar, ary, ic, ical, id, ile, ine, ory ; ch, ese, ish.

Examples

Dental, pertaining to the teeth.	Lucid, pertaining to light.
Lunar, pertaining to the moon.	Canine, pertaining to a dog.
Angelic, pertaining to angels.	Romish, pertaining to Rome.

ac	cardiac, elegiac, hypochondriac.
al	autumnal, final, paternal, royal, vernal.
an	cerulean, human, republican, sylvan, Canadian.
ar	circular, globular, lunar, ocular, singular.
ary	capillary, honorary, military, pecuniary.
ic	chaotic, despotic, domestic, gigantic, public.
ical	botanical, clerical, nautical, technical, poetical.
id	candid, fervid, humid, morbid, splendid.
ile	febrile, hostile, infantile, juvenile, mercantile.
ine	aquiline, feline, masculine, saline, divine.
ory	consolatory, piscatory, promissory, valedictory.
ch	Scotch, Welsh, French.
ese	Chinese, Genoese, Maltese, Portuguese.
ish	English, Irish, British, Danish, Swedish.

2. AFFIXES DENOTING *full of*, OR *abounding in*.*Anglo-Saxon*—ful, some, y. *Classic*—ous, ose, ate.*Examples*

Faithful, full of faith.

Joyous, full of joy.

Frolicsome, full of fun.

Jocose, full of jokes.

Knotty, full of knots.

Passionate, full of passion.

ful	artful, careful, doleful, grateful, clothful.
some	burdensome, gladsome, humorsome, wholesome.
y	balmy, cloudy, flowery, mighty, massy, rocky.
ous	ambitious, beauteous, dubious, erroneous, timorous.
ose	comatose, morbose, morose, verbose.
ate	considerate, fortunate, moderate, ornate, intricate.

3. AFFIXES DENOTING *likeness*.*Anglo-Saxon*—ish, like, ly.*Examples*

Boyish, like a boy. Manlike, like a man. Friendly, like a friend.

ish	brutish, clownish, knavish, foolish, monkish.
like	Christianlike, giantlike, warlike, Godlike, ladylike.
ly	brotherly, cowardly, matronly, princely, worldly.

4. AFFIXES DENOTING *may or can do*, OR *be*.*Classic*—able, ible, ile, ive.*Examples*

Arable, can be ploughed.	Ductile, can be drawn out.
Audible, may be heard.	Active, able to act.
able	blamable, curable, eatable, imitable, practicable.
ible	flexible, legible, intelligible, tangible, visible.
ile	docile, fragile, tractile, versatile.
ive	cohesive, defensive, locomotive, productive.

5. AFFIXES DENOTING *being or doing*.*Classic*—ant or ent ; *like or made of*. *Anglo-Saxon*—en.

Examples

	Dormant, being asleep.	Flaxen, like flax, made of flax.
	Pendent, hanging down.	Earthen, made of earth.
ant	errant, pleasant, verdant, vigilant.	
ent	antecedent, beneficent, belligerent, malevolent.	
en	brazen, golden, leaden, silken, wooden, woollen.	

6. AFFIXES DENOTING *diminution* AND *privation*.*Anglo-Saxon*—ish and less.*Examples*

	Brackish, a little salt.	Saltless, without salt.
ish	dusky, feverish, greenish, slavish, whitish.	
less	bloodless, breathless, friendless, homeless, lifeless.	

The termination *some* denotes a degree of the quality indicated—as blithesome, delightful, glad, lonesome, toilsome, wholesome.

The termination *th*, added to the cardinal numbers, forms the ordinal numbers, which are adjectives—as four, fourth; six, sixth.

The terminations *ern* and *erly*, and *ward*, added to north, east, south, and west, form adjectives expressing direction—as north, northern, northerly, northward.

AFFIXES WHICH FORM VERBS

AFFIXES WHICH SIGNIFY *to make, take, or give*.*Anglo-Saxon*—en, ish. *Classic*—ate, fy, ise, or ize.*Examples*

	Brighten, to make bright.	Eradicate, to take the roots out.
	Publish, to make public.	Amplify, to make large.
	Apologize, to make an excuse.	Equalize, to make equal.
en	cheapen, enlighten, gladden, moisten, quicken.	
ish	admonish, embellish, establish, impoverish, finish.	
ate	calculate, captivate, decapitate, perforate, terminate.	
fy	fortify, magnify, qualify, rectify, sanctify, verify.	
ize	authorize, fertilize, pulverize, scrutinize.	

Some verbs are formed by adding *l* or *le*, *r* or *er*—as hand, handle; start, startle; knee, kneel; draw, drawl; wave, waver; long, linger; spit, sputter; whine, whimper.

AFFIXES WHICH FORM ADVERBS

1. AFFIXES DENOTING *manner*—LY AND WISE.*Examples*

Artfully, in an artful manner.
Justly, in a just manner.
Honestly, in an honest manner.

Crosswise, in a cross manner.
Likewise, in a like manner.
Otherwise, in another manner.

2. AFFIXES DENOTING *direction*—WARD.*Examples*

Eastward, in the direction of the east ; so westward, etc.
Heavenward, in the direction of heaven ; so homeward, etc.
Leeward, in the direction opposite that from which the wind blows.
Thitherward, in the direction of that place ; so whitherward,

The termination *ward* forms both adjectives and adverbs—as, he travelled northward, in an awkward manner, by the downward road.

D. EXERCISES IN WORD BUILDING

The following illustrations will exemplify the construction of words of Latin origin. The root word is shown in *italics* :

WORD	PREFIXES	LATIN ROOTS	AFFIXES	MEANING
acidulate		(<i>acidus</i>) <i>acid</i> , sour	-ul(e), a little -ate, to make	to make a little sour
antecedent	<i>ante</i> , before	(<i>cedo</i>) <i>ced</i> , go	-ent, being	going before
aqueduct		(<i>aqua</i>) <i>aque</i> , water <i>duct</i> , lead		that which leads (or conducts) water
barbarize		(<i>barbarus</i>) <i>barbar</i> , rude	-ize, to make	to make rude
beatitude		(<i>beatus</i>) <i>beati</i> , blessed	-tude, a state of being	a state of being blessed

WORD	PREFIXES	LATIN ROOTS	AFFIXES	MEANING
capillary		(capillus) capill, hair	-ary, per- taining to	pertaining to the hair
congregate	con, together	(grex) grex, a flock	-ate, to take	to take a flock together = to gather together
contravene	contra, against	(venio) vene, come		to come against, to oppose
crucifixion		(crux) cruci, cr (figo) fix, fasten	-ion, the act of doing	the act of fastening to a cross
discern	dis, apart	(cerno) cern, ■		to see apart, to distinguish
dental		(dens) dent, tooth	-al, pertaining to	pertaining to the teeth
desperation	de, from	(spero) sperat, hope	-ion, the act of doing	the act of taking hope from
emergent	e, from	(mergo) merg, plunge	-ent, doing	the plunging from, suddenly appearing, urgent
equanimity		(aequus) equa, equal (animus) animi, mind	-ity, the state	the state of having an equal (or even) mind
extravagance	extra, beyond	(vago) vag, wander	-ance, the state	the state of wandering beyond (due limits), lavish expenditure
exaggerate	ex, out of	(ager) a heap	-ate, to make	to make a heap out of, to magnify unduly
fortitude		(fortis) forti, brave	-tude, the quality	the quality of being brave
fracture		(frango) fract, break	-ure, the condition	the condition of being broken
grateful		(gratus) grate, thankful	-ful, full of	full of thanks

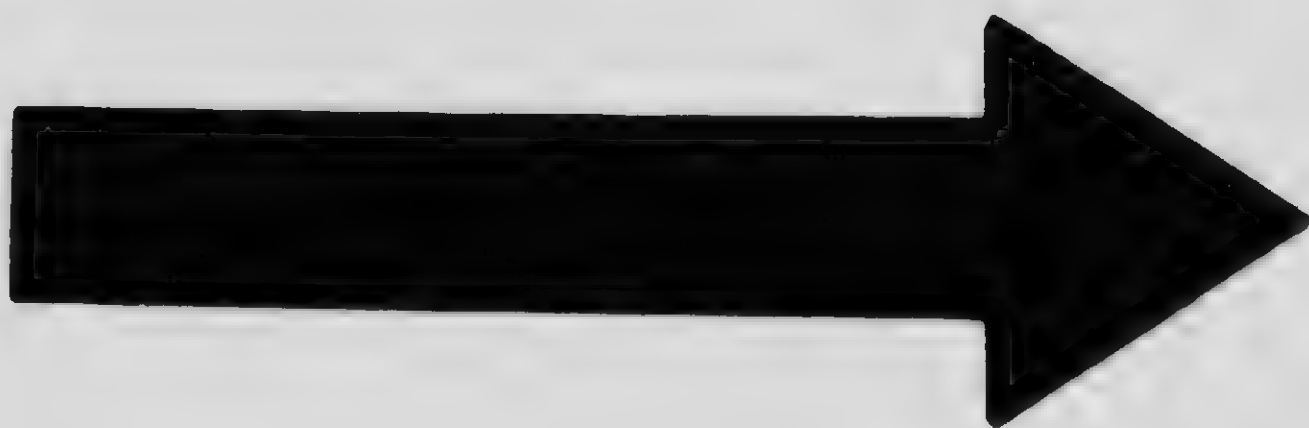
WORD	PREFIXES	LATIN ROOTS	AFFIXES	MEANING
hilarious		(<i>hilaris</i>) <i>hilaris</i> , cheerful	-ous, full of	full of cheerful- ness
homicide		(<i>homo</i>) <i>homi</i> , man (<i>caedo</i>) <i>cide</i> , kill		the act of killing a man
horrify		(<i>horreo</i>) <i>horri</i> , shudder	-fy, to make	to make one shudder
inable	in, not	(<i>aro</i>) <i>ara</i> , plough	-ble, can be	that can not be ploughed
incision	in, into	(<i>caedo</i>) <i>cis</i> , cut	-ion, the act of doing	the act of cutting into
illumination	(in) <i>il</i> , into	(<i>lumen</i>) <i>lumin</i> , light	-at(e), to give -ion, the act	the act of giving light into, a display of lights
interrupt	inter, between	(<i>rumpo</i>) <i>rupt</i> , break		to break in be- tween, to break continuity
miscalculate	<i>mis</i> (Anglo- Saxon) = ill	(<i>calculus</i>) <i>calcul</i> , a pebble	-ate, to make	to make a wrong count with peb- bles, to reckon wrongly
manage		(<i>manus</i>) <i>man</i> , hand (<i>ago</i>) <i>age</i> , to do		to do (or govern) by the hand, to control
magnify		(<i>magnus</i>) <i>magni</i> , large	-fy, to make	to make large
malevolent		(<i>malus</i>) <i>male</i> , bad (<i>volo</i>) <i>vol</i> , wish	-ent, the being	wishing evil, ill- disposed to- wards others
nautical		(<i>nauta</i>) <i>naut</i> , sailor	-ical, per- taining to	pertaining to sailors, marine
odoriferous		(<i>odor</i>) <i>odori</i> , perfume (<i>fero</i>) <i>fer</i> , bear	-ous, abound- ing in	abounding in what bears per- fume, diffusing fragrance

WORD	PREFIXES	LATIN ROOTS	AFFIXES	MEANING
omnipotent		(<i>omnis</i>) <i>omni</i> , all (<i>potens</i>) <i>potent</i> , powerful		all powerful
precaution	<i>pre</i> , before	(<i>caveo</i>) <i>cant</i> , take care	<i>-ion</i> , the act of doing	the act of tak- ing care before- hand
proceed	<i>pro</i> , forward	(<i>cedo</i>) <i>ceed</i> , go		to go forward
pulverise		(<i>pulvis</i>) <i>pulver</i> , dust	<i>-ise</i> , to make	to make into dust
reabsorb	<i>re</i> , again <i>ab</i> , from	(<i>sorbeo</i>) <i>sorb</i> suck in		to suck in again from, to swallow up again
rebellion	<i>re</i> , again	(<i>bellum</i>) <i>bell</i> , war	<i>-ion</i> , the act of doing	the act of making war again
subscription	<i>sub</i> , under	(<i>scribo</i>) <i>script</i> , write	<i>-ion</i> , the act of doing	the act of writing under
superstruc- ture	<i>super</i> , above	(<i>struo</i>) <i>struct</i> , build	<i>-ure</i> , the thing done	that which is built above (something else)
spectator		(<i>specto</i>) <i>spectat</i> , see	<i>-or</i> , the one who acts	the one who sees
stupidly		(<i>stupeo</i>) <i>stupid</i> , stunned	<i>-ly</i> , like	like one who is stunned, dull in understand- ing
testament		(<i>testis</i>) <i>testa</i> , witness	<i>-ment</i> , the act of doing	the act of bear- ing witness, a solemn declara- tion
triangle		(<i>tres</i>) <i>tri</i> , three (<i>angulus</i>) <i>angle</i> , angle		that which has three angles
terraqueous		(<i>terra</i>) <i>terr</i> , land (<i>aqua</i>) <i>aqu(e)</i> , water	<i>-ous</i> , abound- ing in	abounding in or consisting of land and water

WORD	PREFIXES	LATIN ROOTS	AFFIXES	MEANING
volatile		(<i>vol</i>) <i>volat</i> , fly	<i>-ile</i> , can be	able to fly away, apt to change
velocipede		(<i>velox</i>) <i>veloci</i> , swift (<i>pes</i>) <i>pede</i> , foot		swift foot, a light carriage origin- ally moved by striking toes on the road

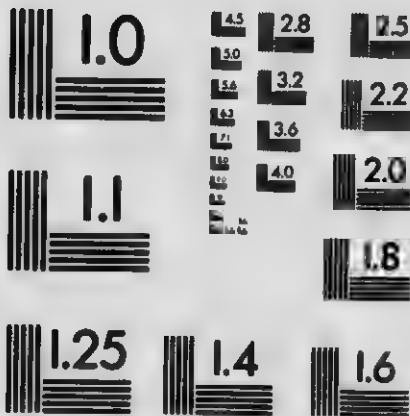
The following illustrations will exemplify the construction of words of Greek origin. The root word is shown in italics :

WORD	PREFIXES	GREEK ROOTS	AFFIXES	MEANING
antagonism	(<i>anti</i>) <i>ant</i> , against	<i>agon</i> , strife	<i>ism</i> , the state	the state of striving against, opposition
astronomi- cal		(<i>astron</i>) <i>astro</i> , star (<i>nomos</i>) <i>nom</i> , law	<i>ical</i> , per- taining to	pertaining to the law of the stars
atheist	<i>a</i> , not	(<i>theos</i>) <i>the</i> , God	<i>ist</i> , the person who acts	one who professes that there is no God
autobio- graphy		(<i>autos</i>) <i>auto</i> , self (<i>bios</i>) <i>bio</i> , life (<i>grapho</i>) <i>graphy</i> , write		life of a person written by him- self
chronome- ter		(<i>chronos</i>) <i>chrono</i> , time (<i>metron</i>) <i>meter</i> , measure		that which mea- sures time
diameter	<i>dia</i> , through	(<i>metron</i>) <i>meter</i> , measure		the measure through



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WORD	PREFIXES	GREEK ROOTS	AFFIXES	MEANING
ethnology		(<i>ethnos</i>) <i>ethno</i> , race (<i>logos</i>) <i>logy</i> , a word or science		the science of the human race
hydrophobia		(<i>hudor</i>) <i>hydr</i> , water (<i>pholeo</i>) <i>phobia</i> , fear		a fear of water one of the symptoms of the disease
intoxicate	in, in	(<i>toxicon</i>) <i>toxic</i> , poison	-ate, to give	to give poison in, to poison
isothermal		(<i>isoa</i>) <i>iso</i> , equal (<i>thermos</i>) <i>therm</i> , hot	-al, pertain- ing to	pertaining to an equal degree of heat
monarchy		(<i>monos</i>) <i>mon</i> , alone (<i>arche</i>) <i>archy</i> , sovereignty		sovereignty alone
necropolis		(<i>necros</i>) <i>necro</i> , dead (<i>polis</i>), a city		a city of the dead
orthodox		(<i>orthos</i>) <i>ortho</i> , right (<i>doxa</i>) <i>dox</i> , opinion		a right opinion
pedagogue		(<i>pais</i>) <i>ped</i> , boy (<i>ago</i>) <i>agogue</i> , lead		a leader of a boy (to and from school), a teacher

For additional exercises in word building take from the list of Latin and Greek roots shown at beginning of Part IX, many of which are not illustrated in the above examples.

COMPOUND WORDS

Compounds are merely separate words, which from being often placed together in a sentence, become connected. As a language grows older, fresh compounds are formed. At first the hyphen is

used, but subsequently it may be dropped. Consequently, no absolute rule can be given for the use of the hyphen. However, when the words forming the compound are accented as separate words, the hyphen should be inserted; if they are accented as a single word, it should not be used.

The following shows some of the changes due to French influence and reveals the origin of the endings of many English words:

LATIN		FRENCH	ENGLISH
ratio	ration-is	raison	reason
venatio	venation-is	venison	venison
comparatio	comparation-is	comparaison	comparison
traditio	tradition-is	treason	treason
pagina		page	page
gratia		grace	grace
firmamentum		firmament	firmament
sacramentum		sacrement	sacrament
grandis domina (a grand lady)		grande dame	grandam (granny)
cultura		culture	culture
captura		capture	capture
justitia		justice	justice
vanitas		vanité	vanity
antiquitas		antiquité	antiquity

PART X

PUNCTUATION

Punctuation is the means of indicating by various marks the meaning and grammatical structure of written language.

The following are the chief marks employed in English, together with the principal uses of each :

1. The Period. (.)

Uses : 1. To mark the end of a sentence which is not a question or exclamation.

2. To mark all abbreviations,

as, B.A., p.p.c., Bart., J. Jones.

3. After numerals used in numbering,

as, iv.

4. After all headings,

as, Mammoth Cave.

2. The Interrogation-Point. (?)

Uses : 1. Place the interrogation-point at the end of every direct question.

Shall I go ?

2. Place it after interrogative phrases having a common dependence.

“Where be your gibes now? your gambols? your flashes of merriment?”

3. Place it within parenthesis to express doubt.

His innocence being proven (?), he was liberated.

NOTE.—Do not use it after an indirect question, as, I asked whether I should go.

3. The Exclamation-Point. (!)

Uses: 1. After exclamatory sentences.

Roll on, thou dark and deep blue ocean, roll!

2. After exclamative phrases.

A dread eternity! how surely mine!

3. After interjections, if passionate.

Ah me! how bitter-sweet is love!

4. To press sarcasm or contempt.

He asserts that Voltaire was proud, ignorant (!) and passionate.

4. The Colon. (:)

Uses: 1. To introduce a list, a quotation unless very short, or an explanatory proposition.

He had the following books:

Then Peter stood forth and said: “Of a truth I perceive that God is no respecter of persons.”

We hold these truths to be self-evident: that all men are created equal; etc.

2. To introduce or sum up a series of coordinate clauses.

You must now hear what I have to say about the uses of iron : we sleep on iron ; we tread on iron ; we travel on iron ; we float on iron ; etc.

3. To introduce an additional remark in explanation of a previous one.

I am no traveller : it is ten years since I left my village.

4. After the complimentary address of a letter, as, Dear Sir : Dear Madam :

NOTE.—This address may be followed by a comma, a comma and dash, or a colon, but never by a semicolon.

5. The Semicolon. (;)

Uses : 1. To separate the clauses of a compound sentence, when no conjunction is used.

I met him as he was leaving the house ; otherwise I should not have known where he lived.

2. Between the numbers of a compound sentence subdivided by commas.

In this morass the Roman army, after an ineffectual struggle, was irrecoverably lost ; nor could the body of the Emperor ever be found.

3. Between the particulars of a formal enumeration, when the items of each division are separated by commas.

According to form, there are three kinds of sentences : first, simple ; second, complex ; third, compound.

4. To separate subordinate clauses or phrases from one another in a series of similar clauses or phrases.

Science declares that no particle of matter can be destroyed ; that each atom has its place in the universe ; and that, in seeking that place, each obeys certain fixed law.

6. The Comma. (,)

Uses : 1. To separate nouns and pronouns in apposition from the rest of the sentence.

Alexander, the son of Philip, conquered Persia.

2. Between two or more words used in the same way in the sentence.

Greece, Italy, and Spain are peninsulas.

3. When words of the same class go together in pairs.

By day or by night, at home or abroad, asleep or awake, he is a constant source of anxiety to his parents.

4. After or before an absolute construction.

The sun having set, we all went home.

5. After or before the Nominative of address.

Friends, Romans, Countrymen, lend me your ears. I apologize, ladies and gentlemen, for my lateness.

6. To separate words and phrases like moreover,

too, namely, in fact, so to speak, from the rest of the sentence.

My mission, too, is one of peace.

He recalled, however, his motive.

7. Before and after a participial phrase, provided the phrase may be expanded into a clause.

Cæsar, having defeated the Gauls, led his army into Britain.

NOTE.—If the participial phrase cannot be expanded into a clause, no comma is used.

A man convinced against his will is, etc.

8. Explanatory phrases are separated by commas.

The field was oblong, sixty yards in length, forty in breadth.

9. To mark the omission of words logically necessary to the construction.

One was tall; the other, short.

Admission, twenty-five cents.

10. To mark off adverbial phrases when they open the sentence, or are not closely connected with the context.

On the receipt of your letter, I made enquiries, etc.

11. Before short, direct quotations.

He kept crying, "On! on!"

12. In dates, addresses, as in the following:

January 1, 1909.

Dr. C. H. Smith, Toronto York County, Ont.

13. In complex sentences, when the dependent clause precedes the principal one.

If you are wise, you will trust him.

14. To separate an adjectival clause used descriptively from its noun or pronoun.

He sent me your book, which I shall be glad to return to you.

15. To separate a long subject, or one that ends in a verb from its predicate.

The tattered soldiers who were finally rescued from a danger so pressing and so extraordinary, numbered scarcely a hundred.

Whatever is, is right.

7. The Dash. (—)

Uses: 1. To mark a break or abrupt turn in a sentence, *i.e.*, a sudden change in thought.

Yes—no—I scarcely know what to say.

2. Instead of a parenthesis.

At the age of ten—such is the power of genius—he could read Greek with facility.

3. To indicate a hesitating or faltering speech.

I—er—I—that is,—I don't care.

4. To mark the omission of letters, figures, or words.

Here Lord E— stopped him short.

See pages 459–470.

5. To set off an appositive and resume a subject.

Health, friends, position, wealth—all gone.

All of us—Tom, Dick, Harry, and Jack—are going.

8. Brackets or Parenthesis. ()

Uses: 1. To enclose an explanation, reference, side-speech, etc., which are independent of the grammatical construction of the sentence.

Prescott (1796-1859) was a brilliant historian.

I gave all I had (two-pence) to that noble cause.

2. To mark a necessary distinction as in quantities in mathematics.

$$[(a + b)(a - b) + c]5 = 45.$$

9. Inverted Commas, Quotation Marks. (" ")

Uses: 1. Double inverted commas are used to indicate that the enclosed matter is a quotation. Single inverted commas indicate a quotation within a quotation.

This was his reply: "I tell you that he said only last night, 'You will never see me again.'"

"Sir," said I, "You insult me."

2. To enclose the name of a book, paper, essay, word, or phrase to which we wish to direct special attention.

This "History of English Literature" is worth reading.

10. The Hyphen. (-)

Uses: 1. To connect the parts of a compound word.

Son-in-law. Twenty-five.

2. To mark the division of a word at the end of a line.

NOTE. — (a) Words of only two syllables should not be divided.
 (b) Divide between syllables; never between parts of syllables.

3. It is sometimes used to separate two vowels not prone to meet together.

Co-operation, pre-eminent, co-ordinate.

11. The Caret. (^)

Use: 1. To show that something has been accidentally omitted.

there r
 In that sentence are two verbs.
 ^ ^

12. The Apostrophe. (')

Uses: 1. To indicate the omission of a letter or letters.

e'en. 'tis. don't.

2. In forming the Possessive Case.

3. In forming the plural of letters, figures, marks, etc.

i's. 9's. + 's. abc's.

13. The Asterisk. (*)

Use: 1. To show that some words or clauses have been omitted.

The Jews * * * * * had to pay heavy taxes
 to the Norman kings.

14. Italics.

This refers to the kind of type used. Ordinary type is known as Roman.

Uses : 1. Words especially emphasized are printed in italics.

To his amazement he saw *footprints*.

2. To show that the word is from a foreign language.

From A.S. *poc*, a vesicle.

3. Names of books, newspapers, magazines, etc., are printed in italics.

The *Mail and Empire* is illustrated to-day.

PART XI

COMMON WORDS OFTEN MISPRONOUNCED

If pupils are taught to pronounce the words in the following lists properly, most of the common errors in pronunciation will be corrected in a single generation. One of the most interesting competitions for schools is a pronunciation contest. The teacher writes each word on the blackboard; the competitors pronounce the words in turn; and after each word has been pronounced all the competitors write "yes" or "no" on their papers. If the word was pronounced correctly, each pupil who wrote "no" is out of the competition; if it was pronounced incorrectly those who wrote "yes" are out. Another plan of conducting a pronunciation match is to let all remain throughout the contest and keep a record of the mistakes made by each side or by each pupil. The side or pupil having the smallest number of errors wins.

SOUNDS OF THE MARKED LETTERS

ä as in arm	ë as in eat	l as in ill	ü as in use
ä " ale	ö " end	ö " old	ü " up
ä " and	l " lee	ö " on	öö " ooze

abdomen, ab-do'men, *not* ab'do-men.

accent (*verb*), ak-sent', *not* ak'-sent.

across, a-kros', *not* a-krawst'.

adult, a-dult', *not* ad'ult.

agile, aj'il, *not* aj'il, *nor* ä'jil.

alien, al'yen, *not* ä'll en.

allies (*noun and verb*), al-liz', *not* al'liz.

almond, a'mund, *not* al'mund.
alpaca, al pak'a, *not* al-ä-pak'a.
altercate, äl'-ter-kät, *not* awl'-ter-kät.
always, awl'wāz, *not* awl'wuz, *nor* öl'wuz.
and, and, *not* an.
anxiety, angz-i'e-tī, *not* anks-i'e-tī.
apostle, a-pos'l, *not* a-pos'tl, *nor* a-paws'l.
apprentice, ap-pren'tis, *not* ap-prin'tis.
aqueduct, ak'we-dukt, *not* äk'-we-dukt.
arctic, ark'tik, *not* ar'tik.
armada, ar-mä'da, *not* ar-mä'da.
Asia, a'shī-a, *not* a'zhe-a.
asked, askt, *not* ast.
athenæum, ath-e-ne'um, *not* a the'-ne-um.
attacked, at'takt, *not* at-tak'ted.
audience, au'dī-ence, *not* aw'jī-ence.
auxiliary, awgz-il'ya-rī, *not* awgz-il'i-a-rī.
awkward, awk'ward, *not* ork'-ard.

barrel, bär-el, *not* bärī.
because, be-kawz', *not* be-küz'.
bedstead, bed'sted, *not* bed'stid.
Beelzebub, be-el'ze-bub, *not* bēl'ze-bub.
believe, be-lēv', *not* blēv.
bellows, bel'lus, *not* bēl'lōz.
beloved (*adj.*), be-luv'ed; (*verb*) be-luvd'.
betroth, betrōth', *not* be-trōth.
So be-troth'al.
binary, bi'na-rī, *not* bin'a-ri, *nor* bi-na-rī.

binomial, bi-no'mīal, *not* bī-no'mīal.
blasphemous, blas'fe-mus, *not* blas-fe'mus.
boisterous, bois'ter-us, *not* hois'-trus.
brigand, brig'and, *not* brī-gänd'.
brooch, brōch, *not* brōōch.
buoyant, bwoi'ant, *not* boi'ant, *nor* bōōi'ant. *So buoy'an-cy.*
business, biz'ness, *not* biz'i-nes.

cartridge, kar'trij, *not* kat'rij.
catch, käch, *not* kēch.
cayenne, kā-en', *not* ki-en', *nor* ki-an'.
cemetery, sem'e-tēr-l, *not* sem'e-trī.
centenary, sen'te-nū-rī, *not* sen-ten'a-rī.
certain, ser'tin, *not* sert'n.
chaldron, chawl'drun, *not* cawl'-dron.
chaos, ka'os, *not* ka'us.
character, kar'ak-ter, *not* ka-rak'ter.
chasm, kazm, *not* kaz'um.
children, chil'dren, *not* chil'durn.
chimney, chim'nī, *not* chim'īl, *nor* chim'bīl.
chisel, chiz'el, *not* chiz'l.
Christmas, kris'mas, *not* krist'-mas.
circuitous, sur-ku'it-us, *not* sur'-kit-us.
citizen, sit'ī zn, *not* sit'ī-zen.
cochineal, köch'i-nēl, *not* köch'i-nēl.
coffee, kof'e, *not* kaw'fe.
coffin, kof'in, *not* kawf'in.
column, kol'ūm, *not* kol'yōōm, *nor* kol'yum.

comely, kum'li, *not* kôm'li.
complaisance, kom-pla-zance' or kom'pla-zance, *not* kom-pla'sance.
concave, kong'kāv, *not* kon'kāv.
contrary, kon'tra-ri, *not* kon'tri, *nor* kon-tra'ri.
coquette (*noun*), ko-ket', *not* ko-kwet'.
courteous, kurt'e-us or kōrt'yua.
covetous, kuv'et-us, *not* kuv'e-chus.
cranberry, kran'bēr-ri, *not* kram'brī.
creek, krēk, *not* krik.
crouch, krowch, *not* krōōch.
current, kur'rent, *not* kurnt.
curtain, kur'tin, *not* kurt'n.

daunt, dānt, *not* dawnt.
deaf, dēf, *not* dēf. *So* deaf'en.
depends, de-pends', *not* de-penz'.
depot, dē-po' or dāpo'.
depths, depths, *not* deps.
dessert, dez-zert', *not* dez'ert.
dew, dū, *not* dōō.
diamond, dī'a-mund or dī'mund.
discern, diz-zern', *not* dis-cern'.
disputable, dis'pu-ta-bl, *not* dis-pu'ta-bl.
divan, dī-van', *not* dī'van.
diverse, dī'verse, *not* di-verse'.
So dī'verse-ly.
dolorous, dōl'o-rus, *not* dō'lo-rus.
donkey, dong'ki, *not* dung'ki.
doth, duth, *not* dōth.
drowned, drownd, *not* drown'ded.
duet, dū-et', *not* dōō-et'.
duke, duk, *not* dōōk.
duty, dū'ti, *not* dōō'ti.

eleven, e-lev'n, *not* levn.
elm, ēlm, *not* ēl'um.
encore, ōng-kōr', *not* ōng'kōr.
engine, en'jin, *not* en'jīn.
epizootic, ep-i-zo-ōt'ik, *not* ep-i-zōō'tik.
equipage, ek'wī-pej, *not* e-kwip'ej.
esquire, es-kwir', *not* es'kwir.
etiquette, et'i-ket, *not* et'i-kwet.
European, ū-ro-pe'an, *not* ū-ro-pean.
excellent, eks'sel-lent, *not* eks'-lent.
excise, eks-siz', *not* eks'siz.
exempt, egz-emt', *not* eks-emt'.
exploit, eks-ploit', *not* eks'ploit.
exquisite, eks'kwī-zit, *not* eks-kwiz'it.
extempore, eks-tem'po-re, *not* eks-tem'por.

factory, fak'to-ri, *not* fak'tri.
falehion, fawl'chun or fawl'shun, *not* fāl'chun.
February, feb'rōō-a-ri, *not* feb'ū-ari, *nor* feb'i-wēr-ri.
feminine, fem'i-nīn, *not* fem'i-nine.
fertile, fer'til, *not* fer'til.
finale, fe-nā'le, *not* fī'nāl.
flaccid, flak'sid, *not* flas'id.
forget, for-get', *not* for-git'.
fragile, fraj'il, *not* fraj'il.
futile, fu'til, *not* fu'til.

gaunt, gānt, *not* gawnt. *So* gauntlet.
gentlemen, jen'tl-men, *not* jen'tl-mun.
geography, je-og'ra-fi, *not* jog'-rafi.

geometry, je-om'e-tri, *not* jom'e-tri.

get, get, *not* git.

God, göd, *not* gawd.

governor, guv'ern-ur, *not* guv'-nur.

government, gūv'ern-ment, *not* gūv'er-ment.

grievous, grēv'us, *not* grēv'l-un.

grimace, grī-mācē', *not* grim'āce.

gutta-percha, gut'ta-per'cha, *not* gut'ta-per'ka.

harass, har'as, *not* ha-ras'.

haunch, hānch, *not* hawnch.

haunt, hānt, *not* hawnt.

hearth, hārth, *not* herth.

heaven, hev'u, *not* hev'un.

height, hit, *not* hith.

helious, hā'nus, *not* hān'yus, *nor* he'nus.

heroine, hēr'o-in, *not* hēr'o-in, *nor* he'ro-in.

hideous, hid'e-us, *not* hē'jus, *nor* hij'us.

horizon, ho-ri'zun, *not* hor'i-zn.

hospital, hos'pī-tal, *not* os'pī-tal.

hostile, hos'til, *not* hos-til, *nor* haws'til.

hover, huv'er, *not* hōv'er.

hundred, hun'dred, *not* hun'-durd.

idea, i-de'a, *not* i-de', *nor* i-de'-ar.

idol, i'dol, *not* i'dl.

implously, im'pī-us-ll, *not* im-pī-us-ll.

individual, in-dī-vid'ū-al, *not* indī-vid'ōō-al.

industry, in'dus-trī, *not* in-dus'tri.

inexplicable, in-eks'plī-ka-bl, *not* in-eks-plik'a-bl.

inquiry, in-kwi'ri, *not* in'kwi-rī.

insects, in'sekts, *not* in'seks.

instead, in-sted', *not* in-stid'.

institute, in'stī tūt, *not* in'stī-toot. So in-sti-tu-tion.

interesting, in'ter-est-ing, *not* in-ter-est'ing.

iron, i'urn, *not* i'run.

isosceles, i-sos'se-lēz, *not* i-sos'-lēz.

jaunt, jānt, *not* jawnt.

jocund, jok'und, *not* jo'kund.

jowl, jöl, *not* jowl.

kept, kept, *not* kep.

kettle, ket'tle, *not* kit'tl.

kindness, kind'nes, *not* kin'nos.

label, la'bel, *not* la'bl.

lamentable, lam'en-ta-bl, *not* lament'a-bl.

launch, lānch, *not* lānch, *nor* lawnch.

legate, leg'āt, *not* le'gāt.

leper, lep'er, *not* le'per.

lettuce, let'tis, *not* let'tus.

library, li'bra-rī, *not* li'brī.

lord, lord, *not* lawurd.

lucid, lū'sid, *not* lōō'sid.

lurid, lū'rid, *not* lōō'rid.

luxury, luks'u-rī, *not* lugz'u-rī.

matin, mat'in, *not* ma'tin.

matron, ma'tron, *not* mat'ron.

mechanist, mek'an-ist, *not* me-kan'ist.

medium, me'dī-um, *not* me'jum.

miracle, mīr'a-kl, *not* mēr'a-kl.

mischievous, mis'chīv-us, *not* mis-chēv'i-us.

mongrel, mung'grel, *not* mon'-grel.

mountainous, mown'tin-us, *not* mown-tain'i-us.

nature, nāt'yur, *not* nā'tur.

nausea, naw'she-a, *not* naw'se-a.
So nau'se-ate.

neuter, nū'ter, *not* nōō'ter.

new, nū, *not* nōō.

nominative, nom'i-na-tiv, *not* nom'na-tiv.

none, nun, *not* nōn.

nothing, nūth'ing, *not* nōth'ing.

oceanic, o-she-an'ik, *not* o-shan'-ik, *nor* o-se-an'ik.

odious, o'di-us, *not* o'jus.

ominous, om'in-us, *not* o'min-us.

once, wuns, *not* wunst.

onyx, ō'niks, *not* ōn'iks.

opinion, o-pin'yun, *not* ū-pin'-yun.

opponent, op-po'nent, *not* op'po-nent.

orange, or'enj, *not* ornj.

Orion, o-ri'un, *not* o'ri-un.

oxide, oks'id, *not* oks'id.

patron, pa'tron, *not* pāt'ron.

pedal (*adj.*), pe'dal, *not* ped'al.

pedal (*noun*), ped'al, *not* pe'dal.

Persian, per'shan, *not* per'zhan.

petrel, pet'rel, *not* pe'trel.

piano-forte, pī-ā'no-fōr'te. The pronunciation pl-an'o-fōrt, so often heard, is not sanctioned.

pigeon, pij'un, *not* pij'in.

pinchers, pin'serz, *not* pin'cherz.

pith, pith, *not* peth.

plait, plāt, *not* plēt.

plateau, plā-to', *not* plāt'o.

poison, poi'zn, *not* pī'zn.

police, po-lēs', *not* plēs.

poniard, pon'yard, *not* poin'-yard.

potato, pō-ta'to, *not* pū-ta'to.

prairie, prā'ri, *not* per-a'ri.

preface (*noun and verb*), pref'ace, *not* pre'face.

pretty, prit'i, *not* prēt'i. So pret'ti-ly.

produce (*noun*), prod'uce, *not* pro'duce.

quote, kwōte, *not* kōte.

quorum, kwō'rum, *not* kō'rum.

quotient, kwō'shent, *not* kō'shent.

ration, ra'shun, *not* rash'un.

recess, re-sēs', *not* re'ses.

regicide, rej'i-sid, *not* re'ji-sid.

reptile, rep'til, *not* rep'til.

rhubarb, rōō'barb, *not* rōō'bub.

rid, rid, *not* red.

rind, rind, *not* rin, *nor* rind.

route, rōōt, *not* rout.

ruffian, ruf'yan or ruf'i-an, *not* ruf'in.

sacrifice (*noun*), sak'ri-fiz or sak'-ri-fis, *not* sa'kri-fiz.

saline, sa-lin' or sa'lin, *not* sa'lēn.

saliva, sa-li'va, *not* sal'i-va.

salver (*a plate*), sāl'ver, *not* sā'ver.

sat, sat, *not* sot.

saucy, saw'sl, *not* sās'i, *nor* sā'sl.

sausage, saw'sej, *not* sās'ej.

scalene, ska-lēn', *not* ska'lēn.

sceptic, skep'tik, *not* sep'tik.

screw, skrōō, *not* skrū.

senile, se'nīl, *not* se'nīl.

senna, sen'na, *not* sē'na, *nor* sē'nī.

shut, shut, *not* shet.

since, since, *not* sence.

sinew, sin'ū, *not* sin'ōō.

sit, sit, *not* set.

slept, slept, *not* slep.

snout, snout, *not* snōōt.

sofa, so'fa, *not* so'fī.

sorry, sōr'rī, *not* saw'rī.

spaniel, span'yel, *not* span'el.

spirit, spīr'it, *not* spēr'it.

steward, stū'ard, *not* stōō'ard.

strength, strength, *not* strenth.

stupid, stū pid, *not* stōō'pid.

subtle (*sly*), sut'l, *not* sub'tl.

such, such, *not* sech, *nor* sich.

suite, swēt, *not* sūt, *nor* sōōt.

supple, sup'l, *not* sōō'pl.

suppose, sup-pōz, *not* spōz.

swept, swept, *not* swep.

syrup, sīr'up, *not* sūr-up.

tenet, ten'et, *not* te'net.

tepid, tep'id, *not* te'pid.

thousand, thow'zand, *not* thow'.

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tortoise, tor'tiz or tor'tis, *not* tor tois.

tour, tōōr, *not* towr. So **tour'ist**.

toward, tō'urd, *not* tō-wawrd'.

tranquill, trang'kwil, *not* tran'kwil.

troche, tro'kē, *not* trōc, *nor* tro'chē.

tube, tube, *not* tōōb.

Tuesday, tūz'dī, *not* tōōz'dī.

tune, tūn, *not* tōōn.

twelfth, twelfth, *not* twēlf.

tyrannie, ti-ran'nic, *not* ti-ran'-nic.

umbrella, um-brel'la, *not* um-brīl'la, *nor* um-bēr-el'a, *nor* um-bēr-el'.

velvet, vel'vet, *not* vel'vit.

vicar, vic'ar, *not* vi'car.

victory, vic'to-rī, *not* vic'trī.

villain, vil'lin, *not* vil'un.

vineyard, vin'yard, *not* vin'yard.

violet, vi'o-let, *not* voi'let.

volume, vol'yum, *not* vol'ūm.

was, wōz, *not* wuz.

well, wel, *not* wāl.

were, wer, *not* wāur.

windward, wind'ward, *not* wind'-urd.

wrestle, res'l, *not* res'tl, *nor* ras'l.

wrong, rong, *not* rawng.

yacht, yot, *not* yat.

yes, yēs, *not* yīs, *nor* yāās, *nor* yē.

yet, yēt, *not* yīt.

yonder, yon'der, *not* yen'der, *nor* yun'der.

zealot, zēl'ut, *not* zēl'ut.

zenith, ze'nith, *not* zen'ith.

PART XII

A. ABBREVIATIONS

An abbreviation is usually formed by taking the first letter, the first and last letters, or the first syllable of a word, followed by a period.

A. or @. At.	Bbl. or bbl. Barrel.
Abp. Archbishop.	B. C. British Columbia. Before Christ.
Acct. or %. Account.	B. C. L. Bachelor of Civil Law.
A. D. (Anno Domini). In the year of our Lord.	B. D. Bachelor of Divinity.
A. D. C. Aide-de-camp.	Bk. Bank.
Adj. Adjective.	Bro. Brother.
Adv. Adverb.	B. Sc. Bachelor of Science.
Aet. Aged.	Bu. or bu. Bushel.
Ag. Silver.	
Al. Aluminium.	Capt. Captain.
Alta. Alberta.	C. B. Cape Breton. Commander of the Bath.
A. M. In the forenoon.	C. E. Civil Engineer.
Amt. Amount.	Cent. Hundred.
Anon. Anonymous.	Chap. Chapter.
Ans. Answer.	C. M. G. Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George.
Apr. April.	Co. Company.
Arith. Arithmetic.	%. In care of.
Asst. Assistant.	C. O. D. or c. o. d. Collect (or cash) on delivery.
Atty. Gen. Attorney General.	Col. Colonel.
Aug. August.	Corpl. Corporal.
Ave. Avenue.	Cr. Credit, Creditor.
B. A. Bachelor of Arts.	
Bart. Baronet.	

Cts. Cents.

Cwt. Hundredweight.

D. C. L. Doctor of Civil Law.

D. D. Doctor of Divinity.

Dec. December.

Dept. Department.

Dis. or Diset. Discount.

Do. or do. Ditto, the same.

Dr. Debit, Debtor.

D. V. God willing.

D. V. S. Doctor of Veterinary Science.

Ed. Editor. Edition.

E. G. or e. g. For example.

Eng. England.

E. R. King Edward.

Esq. Esquire.

et al. And others.

etc. And so forth.

et seq. And those following.

E. & O. E. Errors and omissions excepted.

Fah. Fahrenheit.

Feb. February.

F. O. B. or f. o. b. Free on board.

F. L. S. Fellow of the Royal Society.

F. R. S. C. Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada.

Fri. Friday.

Fur. or fur. Furlong.

Gal. Gallon.

Gen. General.

Gov. Governor.

Hhd. or hhd. Hogshead.

Hon. Honorable.

H. R. H. His (Her) Royal Highness.

Id. The same.

I. e. or i. e. (*id est.*) That is.

I. H. S. Jesus the Saviour of men.

Incog. Unknown.

Inst. The present month.

Int. Interest.

Jan. January.

Jr. Junior.

J. P. Justice of the Peace.

K. C. King's Counsel.

K. C. B. Knight Commander of the Bath.

K. C. M. G. Knight Commander of St. Michael and St. George.

K. G. Knight of the Garter.

Kt. Knight.

L., l., or £. Pound sterling.

Lat. Latitude.

Lb. or lb. Pound weight.

Lieut. Lieutenant.

LL.D. Doctor of Laws.

Long. Longitude.

L. S. Place of the Seal.

Ltd. Limited.

M. Noon. A thousand.

M. A. Master of Arts.

Maj. Major.

Man. Manitoba.

M. D. Doctor of Medicine.

Mdse. Merchandise.

Memo. Memorandum.
Messrs. Gentlemen.
Mlle. Mademoiselle.
Mme. Madame.
Mon. Monday.
M. P. Member of Parliament.
M. P. P. Member of Provincial Parliament.
Mr. Mister.
Mrs. Mistress.
MSS. Manuscripts.

N. B. New Brunswick.
Nem. con. No one contradicting.
N. F. Newfoundland.
No. or #. Number.
Nov. November.
N. P. Notary Public.
N. S. Nova Scotia.
N. T. New Testament.

Oct. October.
O. H. M. S. On His Majesty's Service.
O. K. All correct.
Ont. Ontario.
O. T. Old Testament.
Oz. or oz. Ounce.

Pay't. Payment.
P. E. I. Prince Edward Island.
Per an. By the year.
Per ct. or %. Per centum, by the hundred.
Ph.D. Doctor of Philosophy.
Pkg. or pkg. Package.
P. M. Postmaster. Afternoon.
P. O. Post Office.
P. O. O. Post Office Order.
pp. Pages.

Pres. President.
Prin. Principal.
Prof. Professor.
Pro tem. For the time being.
Prox. Next month.
P. S. Postscript.
Pub. Publisher, public, published.
Pub. doc. Public Document.
Pwt. or dwt. Pennyweight.

Q. Question. Query.
Q. E. D. Which was to be proved.
Q. M. Quartermaster.
Qr. or qr. Quire.
Qt. or qt. Quart.
Que. Quebec.

R. Recipe.
R. A. Royal Artillery.
Rec'd. Received.
Rev. Reverend.
R. N. Royal Navy.
R. R. Railroad.
Rt. Hon. Right Honorable.
Rt. Rev. Right Reverend.

Sask. Saskatchewan.
Sat. Saturday.
Se. To wit, namely, viz.
Sec. Secretary.
Sept. September.
Sergt. Sergeant.
Sq. Square.
S. S. Steamship.
Sr. Senior.
Str. Steamer.
Sun. Sunday.

Supt. Superintendent.**Th.** Thursday.**Treas.** Treasurer.**Tues.** Tuesday.**Ult.** Last month.**U. S.** United States.**Vide.** See.**Viz.** Namely.**Vol.** Volume.**VI** Against, in opposition to.**Wed.** Wednesday.**W. I.** West Indies.**Xmas.** Christmas.**Yd.** Yard.**Yr.** Year.**B. FRENCH WORDS AND PHRASES****A la mode.** In the fashion.**Amour propre.** Vanity.**A propos.** To the point.**Au fait.** Skilful ; expert.**Au revoir.** Farewell till we meet again.**Beau monde.** The fashionable world.**Bête noir.** A bugbear.**Billet doux.** A love-letter.**Bizarre.** Odd ; fantastic.**Blasé.** Surfeited.**Bon jour.** Good-day.**Bon mot.** A witticism.**Café.** A coffee house.**Carte blanche.** Full power.**Chef d'œuvre.** A master-piece.**Comme il faut.** As it should be.**Coup d'état.** A stroke of policy.**Cuisine.** A kitchen ; cookery.**Début.** First appearance.**Douceur.** A bribe.**Eau de Cologne.** Cologne water.**Éclat.** Splendor ; brilliancy.**Élite.** A select body of persons.**Encore.** Again.**En masse.** In a body.**Ennui.** Weariness.**En route.** On the way.**Entrée.** Entry ; a side dish.**Entre nous.** Between ourselves.**Esprit de corps.** The animating spirit of a collective body.**Exposé.** An exposure.**Façade.** A front view.**Fait accompli.** A thing already done.**Faux pas.** A false step.**Femme sole.** A woman unmarried.**Fête.** A holiday.

- Garçon.** A boy.
Gens d'armes. Armed police.
- Haut ton.** Highest fashion.
Hors de combat. Not in a condition to fight.
- Jeu d'esprit.** A witticism.
- Laissez faire.** Let alone.
- Menu.** A bill of fare.
- Naïveté.** Native simplicity.
Née. Born.
Négligé. Undress.
Noblesse oblige. Rank imposes obligation.
Nom de guerre. A pseudonym.
- On dit.** They say.
- Par excellence.** Pre-eminently.
Parvenu. An upstart.
Pot-pourri. A medley.
- Protégé.** One protected by another.
- Qui vive.** Who goes there? On the alert.
- Raison d'être.** Reason for being.
Résumé. A summing up.
Robe de chambre. A dressing gown.
- Sans souci.** Without care.
Savant. A man of science.
Savoir faire. Tact; skill.
Séance. A sitting.
- Tête-à-tête.** Face to face; in close conversation.
Tout ensemble. The whole taken together.
Trousseau. A wedding outfit.
- Valet de chambre.** An attendant.
Vis à vis. Facing.
Vive le roi. Long live the king.

PART XIII

PUPILS' MISTAKES

THE most important list of words for each pupil to study is a list of his own mistakes in spelling. In this list he should write once all the words he spells incorrectly, not only in the spelling lessons but in composition.

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